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WELCOME, MOST FAMOUS AMERICAN!

DOVES STRIKE NEW YORK FOR FOUR BATTLES

BATTING ORDER.

BOSTON.	NEW YORK.
Thomas, l.f.	Doyle, 2b.
Becker, r.f.	Seymour, c.f.
Shean, 2b.	Herzog, l.f.
Beaumont, c.f.	Murray, r.f.
Getz, 3b.	Shafer, 3b.
Autrey, 1b.	Bridwell, s.s.
Graham, c.	Merkle, 1b.
Coffey, s.s.	Schlei, c.
Brown, p.	Wiltse, p.

POLO GROUNDS, New York, Sept. 4.—The Doves came over here for a game to-day, two on Labor Day and a wind-up on Tuesday. It was a different team than that which came avont a year ago and played listless ball against the Giants. They were out to make trouble this trip and McGraw realized it.

There is hardly a chance for the Giants to win the pennant, but they are going after everything in sigth just the same. A good sized Saturday crowd turned out to see the fun, but it was nowhere as larg as it would have been if the Giants were closer to the Pirates.

WANTS POLICE HEAD ELECTED BY PEOPLE.

Former Councilman John J. Mullen of Ward 3, Charlestown, announced to-day that, despite statements to the contrary, he is a candidate for the Senate in the Second Suffolk District, which includes Ward 1 in East Boston, Wards 3, 4 and 5 in Charlestown and part of Cambridge. He also states that he is with "Larry" Sullivan for the Governor's Council. His platform will be eighty-cent gas for Charlestown and East Boston, and the election of a Police Commissioner by the people.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

ITALIAN LINER TO TOUCH AT BOSTON

A cable from Rome to-day says that the General Italian Navigation Company, at the request of the Government, has decided to have the vessels of its Genoa-New York line touch henceforth at Boston for the benefit of the emigration and freight business. Later the company will run steamers between Italy and Canada.

"OTTO SCHMIDT, JANITOR"—Sweet and delicious tale of three girls and an old German soldier. Read it in the SUNDAY AMERICAN.

ATHLETICS MAKE HAY AT WASHINGTON

BATTING ORDER.

PHILADELPHIA.	WASHINGTON.
Hartsel, l.f.	Browne, c.f.
Barry, s.s.	Schaefer, 2b.
Collins, 2b.	Unglaub, 1b.
Baker, 3b.	Lelivelt, l.f.
Davis, 1b.	Yohe, 3b.
Murphy, r.f.	Killifer, c.f.
Oldring, c.f.	McBride, s.s.
Livingstone, c.	Street, c.
Morgan, p.	Groom, p.

AMERICAN LEAGUE GROUNDS, WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—The Athletics, who are plugging right along in their efforts to land the American League pennant, lined up against the Senators for the second game of the series this afternoon. The Washington bunch is figured easy picking just now, but the Mackmen took no chances and played the game for all it was werth.

There was nothing in sight for the Senators and they have lost all ambition to even get out of the tail end position. They are simply playing through their schedule. Still, if things come their way they will cop all right.

The two teams play the usual Labor Day games at Philadelphia on Monday where big crowds are sure to welcome the Mackmen.

ADMIRAL WINSLOW IN AUTO DRAGNET

NEWBURYPORT, Sept. 4.—Sheriff M. A. Trefethen of Cumberland County, Maine, who lives in Portland, that State, failed to appear in the Municipal Court here to-day in answer to a complaint made by City Marshal McLain against him for overspeeding his automobile in the town of Rowley. Among the others who were caught in the automobile dragnet was Rear Admiral Cameron McRae Winslow of the Portsmouth Navy Yard.

BIG CROWDS GREET RED SOX ON HOME LINKS

BATTING ORDER.

NEW YORK.	BOSTON.
Demmitt, c.f.	Niles, l.f.
Keeler, r.f.	Lord, 3b.
Chase, 1b.	Speaker, c.f.
Engle, l.f.	Gessler, r.f.
Laporte, 2b.	Wagner, s.s.
Knight, s.s.	Stahl, 1b.
Austin, 3b.	McConnell, 2b.
Kleinow, c.	Carrigan, c.
Wilson, p.	Wood, p.

HUNTINGTON AVENUE GROUNDS, Sept. 4—Showing every sign of being glad to be home after a hard Western trip, Manager Lake's squad of Boston players frisked about these grounds this afternoon limbering up for the opening game of the series with the New York Highlanders.

The Red Sox bunch looked good to the big holiday crowd which was on hand and there was plenty of applause given to the players in the preliminary practice when a stop or catch was made hardly worth the noise, but the fans were very willing to show how glad they were to see the Red Sox home again.

Manager Stallings had a big squad of players on hand and they showed up well. Strangely the two teams came all the way from Buffalo on the same train. On the ride to Boston the players were much together and swapped yarns and joked at each others' expense, but at the grounds there was no signs of friendly feeling. Every player seemed determined to do his little bit towards winning the game and worked his hardest.

Both Managers Lake and Stallings had all their pitchers at work and their wing arms were carefully watched, but until the very start of the game there were no signs of a selection being made.

You see the AMERICAN everywhere—in the homes, clubs, restaurants, hotels, cars and boats.

COOK IN MOCCASINS GREETED BY KING

Tremendous Ovation to American Explorer Who Landed in Copenhagen To-day. Has Double Proofs of His Discovery.

COPENHAGEN, Sept. 4.—King Frederick VIII., of Denmark this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock received in private audience Dr. Frederick A. Cook, the American discoverer of the North Pole, who arrived early to-day upon the steamer Hans Egede, receiving one of the greatest ovations of modern times.

Dr. Cook was attired in the same suit of clothes he had worn since he left the Pole except the furs, and wore moccasins. He was ushered into the royal presence and warmly congratulated by His Majesty, as a representative of the civilized world, who told him that he had brought glory to himstlf and his country.

Dr. Cook left the palace at 4:15 o'clock. Present during the interview in addition to the King and Dr. Cook were the Queen, three princesses and United States Minister Egan The explorer gave a short account of his perilous journey. Dr. Cook and Egan then drove back to the Phoenix Hotel through throngs of cheering Danes.

Danes Believe In Cook

Minister Hansen talked with the newspaper correspondents this afternoon regarding the authenticity of Dr. Cook's claims. He said:

"Our two foremost Danish Arctic explorers, Amundsen and Rasmussen, know Dr. Cook personally, and they have assured us that they believe implicitly every word he says about his achievement. Their word is as good as gold with us in such matters.

It was an impressive sight as Cook, once a poor boy eking out a living as a milk wagon driver at $5 a week, stood in the august presence of a King, the two meeting upon the common ground of science, each seeing in the other the scientist and the man.

Next to this reception by royalty and the wildly enthusiastic greeting accorded to the American explorer by the Danish populace, the most important feature of the day's happening was Dr. Cook's positive assertion:

"I have found the Pole. I have brought back the proofs. I could not have been mistaken, for I took double observations daily."

Crown Prince Christian of Denmark, Maurice F. Egan, the American minister; the Danish minister of commerce, and committees representing various public bodies, boarded the Hans Egede and welcomed Dr. Cook in the name of the nation and the city.

Forced to Make a Speech.

On the way to the palace to meet the King the people became so clamorous for a word from the returned explorer that it was finally decided he should speak for a few moments from the balcony of the Meteorological Institute. Fighting their way through the mighty throng here, souvenir hunters literally trying to tear the clothes from Cook's body, the party finally reached the building. When Dr. Cook appeared upon the balcony a roar rolled upward from the people in the streets below.

So far as appearance went, Cook was a shabby looking hero. His face was bronzed and weather-beaten and has hair was long and straggled over the collar of his soiled and rumpled suit of brown. A disreputable old cap, borrowed from a seaman, sat upon his head and his moccasins were torn and service-worn. His blond hair was tossed awry, and his hands seamed from the Arctic winds and frosts, but his face wore a constant smile and as he held up his hand for silence a roar rolled upward from the multitude.

"My friends," said he, "I have had too hard a time in getting here to make a speech. I can only say that I consider it an honor to be able to put my foot first on Danish soil."

Although few heard him the crowds were satisfied. They had seen him and the cheering burst out with renewed vigor as he went on to the palace.

"Never Again," Says Explorer.

During the first breathing spell Dr. Cook got at the institute after the first vociferous welcome, he assured the newspapermen who surrounded him that he would never again try for the North Pole.

"I shall never go back," he declared, with grim earnestness. "To undertake the experience I have undergone twice in one lifetime is too much to ask of frail humanity."

Speaking further of the records he had left at the pole to establish the fact of his presence there, he said:

"I depend upon the careful records I have brought back with me rather than the flag and tube I planted underneath it to substantiate my claim that I have actually stood upon the earth's axis, the most Northernmost point.

"Unless some other explorer duplicates my feat in the comparatively near future, there is little likelihood that my flag will be found where I planted it. The drift of the ice fields on which I fixed the flagstaff will be probably to the eastward, and in the course of time another field of ice will take its place.

Will Satisfy the Public.

"However, my instruments were the best that an explorer ever took into the polar regions, and the observations I took with them will satisfy the savants, and through them the public, that the Pole actually has been found.

"I had a pocket watch, three chronometers and a sextant, all of them in per calculation was verified and my observations were taken daily from the eighty-fifth degree of latitude until I reached the Pole. I know that they will stand the test and I welcome the opportunity to subject them to the most captious scientists."

Dr. Cook decided late this afternoon to remain in Copenhagen one week, going from here to Brussels, where he may meet his wife, and where he will present his report of his discovery to the International Bureau of Polar Exploration. Dr. Cook has promised to deliver an address before the geographical society here.

Details of Dr. Cook's landing and his own statement regarding the discovery of the North Pole on Page 3.

DR. COOK CABLES TAFT DISCOVERY OF THE NORTH POLE

BEVERLY, Sept. 4.—President Taft today received a cablegram from Dr. Frederick A. Cook at Copenhagen, in which the explorer announced his discovery of the North Pole and said he had taken possession of it in the name of the United States. President Taft will reply, thanking Dr. Cook in behalf of the country for his achievement.

TWO KILLED BY CRASH.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Sept. 4.—Two men were killed and three fatally injured when a train hit a box car on the Chicago & Alton at Auburn, near here this morning. The victims were members of a section gang.

TAFT IN AUTO TRAP; IS HALED INTO COURT

NEWBURYPORT, Sept. 4.—Local constables to-day told how they held up President Taft for overspeeding his automobile in a trap in the town of Newbury yesterday afternoon. When they found out it was the President they allowed him to go on, and did not summons him to court.

President Taft, Mrs. Taft, Helen and Robert Taft and Captain Butt were in the auto with the chauffeur. They came from Beverly on their way to Haverhill to see Justice Moody of the Supreme Court of the United States, who is ill. They used the State highway.

In the town of Newbury there is a trap one-eighth of a mile long.

Constable Rogers stood at the entrance to the trap with his watch. Constable Jaques was at the roadside in the middle of the course timing the machine. The Taft auto was going too fast, so Jacques signalled Constable Sanborn down the road to stop the auto. Then the three constables recognized the President. President Taft and the members of his family had a good laugh with the constables, and the Taft motor went on to Haverhill to see Mr. Moody. On the return trip home the car was not stopped.

More AMERICANS are read in the homes in Boston than any other paper.

LEMLY, WHO TRIED SCHLEY, IS DEAD

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—Captain Samuel C. Lemly, formerly judge advocate general of the navy, who became prominent in connection with the famous Schley court of inquiry, is dead at St. Elizabeth's Hospital.

ROOSEVELT'S WIFE TO WAIT AT KHARTOUM

BERLIN, Sept. 4.—Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt has rented a house at Khartoum, Egypt, where she will meet her husband when he emerges from the jungle, according to Adolf Mayer, a kinsman of King Menelik of Abyssinia, who is here with a commission to buy supplies for his government. According to Mayer, Mrs. Roosevelt will spend several months in Khartoum next year.

DODSON, WHO JUMPED BAIL, BROUGHT BACK

Police Inspectors McGarr and Armstrong today returned from Fruitvile, Cal., with Charles W. Dodson, a School street attorney, who jumped his bail bond of $5,000 a few months ago. Dodson was attorney for Gilbert H. Noyes in a damage suit against a railroad company. It is charged that Dodson forged Noyes's name to a release for $150. He was arrested, charged with stealing the money, and his bail placed at $5,000.

HAMMOND GIVES $100 TO FISHERMEN

GLOUCESTER, Sept. 4.—After being shown about the Gloucester Fishermen's Institute, John Hays Hammond, who has always taken a decided interest in the city of his adoption, quietly passed the coaptain a check for $100, to be used for the institute in any way its directors think best.

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in tomorrow's

Sunday American

¶ No other Boston newspaper will have anything like this great feature. Order your Sunday American now.

Seventh Day Wonder Of New England!

OFFER $25,000 FOR WRECKERS ON THE B. & O.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 4.—A reward of $25,000 for the arrest and conviction of the persons guilty of wrecking the Baltimore & Ohio Royal Blue New York-Chicago flyer forty-six miles west of this city near Chewton Siding, early to-day, was offered by the General Superintendent Finney of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad this afternoon.

The reward was authorized by President and General Manager George L. Potter of Baltimore.

That a hundred lives were not lost in the wreck is due, it is known to-day, to the quick action of Fireman Purcell, who escaped death by a leap from the engine cab as the heavy engine and two cars somersaulted over a steep embankment.

As it was two were killed and thirty injured, Engineer Dill and Baggagemaster Wheatcroft being killed.

Purcell to-day told how, when he felt the heavy engine lurch and leave the rails, he jumped to the right side of the cab and threw over the emergency brakes, thus saving the ditching of the two Pullman sleepers attached to the flyer. The fireman's story is borne out by the fact that the brakes on the Pullman car were found to be tightly set and the cars immovable by wrecking crews.

The train was going at a rate of more than fifty miles an hour when the locomotive ran upon a rail from which the spikes holding it to the ties had been removed. The locomotive at once left the track, dragging with it the entire train, consisting of two Pullman coaches, two day coaches and the baggage car, all tumbling into a ditch about thirty feet deep. The cars turned over in the plunge, and practically all the passengers and trainmen were imprisoned in them.

Messages were at once sent out in all directions for help, while the residents of Newcastle Junction did all they could to extricate the persons imprisoned in the wreck.

It was feared for a time that the wreck would catch fire. To prevent this water was poured on it from several lines of hose.

In less than half an hour relief trains with corps of surgeons from Ellwood City, Newcastle and Wampum, Pennsylvania, had reached the scene and as fast as the injured were brought from the wreck they were given attention and then sent to Shenango Valley hospital at Fishcastle.

The bodies of Engineer Dill and Baggagemaster Wheatcroft were taken from the wreck. They were crushed beyond recognition. Another man who was too seriously injured to give his name is also believed to be a member of the train crew.

CHEVORLET AND ROBERTSON TIE IN AUTO TEST

By J. C. KERRISON.

LOWELL, Sept. 4.—Louis Chevorlet in the Buick and George Robertson in the Simplex tied for first honors so far as speed was concerned in the try-outs on the Merrimac auto course to-day. Both negotiated the 10.6 miles in 11 minutes 10 seconds, the fastest time recorded during the morning. Burman in a Buick was one second slower and Harry Grant in the Alco came next in time. He did the course in 11 minutes 40 seconds, while Lorimer in the Chalmers just clipped the circuit in 12 minutes da.

Although some thirty-two drivers and cars were out for work, the times recorded were not as fast as were those of the previous day. This was unquestionably owing to the foggy atmosphere.

Shaw, who brought out the six-cylinder Knox for its first trial, had a slight mishap. In going by one of the other cars he got his right wheels in a ditch and badly wrenched his rear axle. Not in the least disconcerted the daring driver made several other laps of the course, and then went back to the training quarters.

The only cars lacking in the practice were the three Maxwells, the Fiats, the latter of which have not yet arrived. The latest entrants, the Sharp Arrow and the Mercedes, came out for a few turns of the track. They made no particular fast time, being content to take things easily. Cobe, in the Lozier runabout, had a pleasure ride. Al Poole made one or two fairly fast trips. Belcher, in the Knox, ran out of gasoline when about a mile from his training quarters, and on his last trip around Gaitnaur, in the Chalmers, had some slight difficulties. This was the last practice work of the week.

The technical committee, David Beecroft, H. F. Edwards and A. L. McMurty began weighing cars immediately at the close of the practice to-day.

This is an all day job, after which the men will put the finishing touches to their racing machines and await the word from Starter Wagner that shall send them off in search of honor and glory. The fastest times made by the men in practice to-day were:

Driver and car.	Time of laps.		
L. Chevrolet, Buick	11:10	12:54	13:51
Robertson, Simplex	11:10	11:17	14:20
Grant, Alco	11:40	13:33	13:50
[illegible], Chalmers	12:03	13:29	13:27
Strang, Buick	12:31	23:50	12:40
Lorimer, Chalmers	13:39	15:45	13:49
Gaitnaur, Chalmers	12:08	12:58	13:10
Poole, Isotta	13:48	14:29	15:20
[illegible], Benz	12:28	13:02	13:39
Burman, Buick	11:11	[illegible]	14:32
Matson, Chalmers	12:41	13:22	13:41
Little, Apperson	12:38	14:30	
Knipper, Chalmers	12:30	12:28	13:00
De Witt, Buick	13:13	12:30	13:10
Hughes, Allen-Kingston	27:08	21:22	
[illegible]	12:50	[illegible]	14:10
Belcher, Knox	14:48	12:17	12:28
[illegible], Knox	13:10	12:50	14:10
[illegible], Knox	14:27	13:25	12:40

URGES LABOR TO PUSH WAR ON INJUNCTION

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—In the absence of Samuel Gompers, who is in Europe, John Mitchell, a vice-president of the American Federation of Labor, has issued a Labor Day manifesto to the members of the country.

Incidentally Mr. Mitchell refers to the contempt cases in which he President Gompers and Secretary Morrison are out on bail pending the decision of the higher court whether they shall go to jail.

"While the abuse of the writ of injunction did not originate within the last decade," says Mr. Mitchell, "yet it is safe to say that the wrongeful use of what was primarily a beneficient and necessary legal process has become acute within the last ten years, and perhaps no action has caused such universal protest as the injunction issued by Justice Gould and the decision rendered by Justice Wright.

"The question of whether or not the defendants shall be required to serve terms of imprisonment sinks into insignificance when compared with the principles of constitutional government and human freedom which are involved.

"And it is no reflection upon the judiciary to say that workingmen will not cease their agitation or abate their demands until trial by jury for every offence which involves imprisonment shall have been established and recognized as the only true principle of free government and the real guarantee of the impartial administration of justice."

25,000 MILL HANDS VOTE ON STRIKE TO-DAY

NEW BEDFORD, Sept. 4.—The Textile Council, representing 25,000 cotton mill operatives, went into executive session to-day to prepare its reply to the letter from the manufacturers refusing to restore wages. A strike seems inevitable unless somebody gives way quickly. Both sides seem eager for battle provided, of course, that the other refuses to yield.

The men and women who work in the mill, and earn the 50 per cent. dividends for their masters are in a very bitter mood. They say that there is no reason on earth for the haughty refusal. The mills are prosperous as never before, dividends range from 10 to 50 per cent., new mills are building and in glowing prospectuses to the public the employers tell of golden dividends to be earned by money invested in cotton weaving and spinning.

Then, too, there is the ever-urgent problem of advancing prices in the cost of food and clothing, with wages cut to meet panic conditions of a year ago. The manufacturers seem to have concluded that the battle is inevitable, even should they grant what the operatives confidently anticipated a compromise of 5 per cent. increase.

If there is to be war, the manufacturers reason, why not in the dead of a bitter New England Winter, now fast approaching. They think it is good tactics to pick the time and the place for a strike if one is to be declared. So that's the situation.

The Textile Council promises a statement before to-night defining its position. In the meantime all New Bedford awaits the issue eagerly and with extreme anxiety.

Ireland's Peaceful Revolution

A surprising statement from Ireland shows the solid foundation upon which the New Ireland is building. Exclusive feature in the

Sunday American

SEVENTH DAY WONDER OF NEW ENGLAND

WOMAN PLEADS GUILTY OF THEFT AT FUNERAL; IS PUT ON PROBATION

Mrs. Mary Forsythe, former "hello" girl, who to-day pleaded guilty of stealing women's pocketbooks at funeral service in church.

"Yes, Your Honor, I took the pocketbooks, but I didn't know what I was doing," said twenty-four-year-old Mrs. Mary Forsythe in the Dorchester Police Court today before Judge Reed when she was arraigned, charged with stealing two pocketbooks from women mourners in St. Margaret's Church, Dorchester, yesterday afternoon, during the funeral of Custom House Officer William Dowd.

Judge Reed listened to the woman's story and the plea of her counsel, Lawyer John H. McVey, and freed her under probation for three months. She must report to the probation officer each month until December.

Police inspectors and witnesses from Cambridge were on hand in the court room to-day to endeavor to identify Mrs. Forsythe as the woman who has been stealing pocketbooks from worshippers in Cambridge churches.

Escapes Curious Throng.

On account of the sensational chase of the young woman through the streets of Dorchester yesterday afternoon the court room was filled to-day, and a crowd of 300 men and women gathered outside of the court room to catch a glimpse of the young woman. After she was freed relatives took her through a rear window to a waiting carriage and she escaped the crowd.

After Patrolman James Mullin had told of the exciting chase after the woman, and Mrs. John F. Good and her sister-in-law, Catherine Good, had told of missing their pocketbooks while they were kneeling in prayer, and of running down the street after the woman, Mrs. Forsythe told her story. She is a very pretty young woman, and is well known in Dorchester and Milton, where she has lived all her life. She was dressed in a dark green tailor-made suit, with large black hat, and her face was covered in a heavy black veil.

Former Telephone Girl.

"I was born in Milton," said Mrs. Forsythe," and up to the time of my marriage three years ago I worked as a telephone operator in the Milton telephone exchange. I live at No. 15 Middlesex street, Dorchester.

"My husband works for the Adams Express Company. We had some words in the morning. My husband left home angry. I felt despondent. I drank some liquor. I did not know what I was doing. I went to the church. I am guilty."

Lawyer McVey made a plea for the young woman, and the Court placed her on her good behavior under the guardianship of the probation officer for three months.

Bride in Elopement.

Before her marriage, Mrs. Forsythe was Mary McCormick. In the Summer of 1906 she eloped to New York with Forsythe and was married. While she was in New York her mother reported to the police that her daughter had stolen from her brother, who is studying for the priesthood, money and jewelry and from her a fur coat, all the value of $300. When the girl was brought back she pleaded guilty in the Norfolk Superior Court, but there was no prosecution of the case. The pocketbooks taken yesterday contained $32 in money and a repair ticket on a $50 watch.

RAISE NERO, SUNK WEEKS

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—The government collier Nero, which struck a rock and sank near Newport, several weeks ago, has been raised by the Arbuckle wrecking crew and is now tied up at the government docks at Newport. Later she will be brought to the Brooklyn Navy Yard for repairs.

The same wrecking system has been employed in the case of the gunboat Yankee, which has been submerged off the coast for months, but she has not yet been floated.

HELD FOR KILLING MAN IN QUARREL

FITCHBURG, Sept. 4.—Thirty-year-old Biagio Romano of Middle street, was held for the grand jury in Fitchburg District Court to-day on a charge of murder in the first degree in connection with the death of Pasquale Raffela on August 8. Raffela, who was twenty-two, lived on Central street. On the night of the alleged murder Romano told a policeman that Raffela had tried to break into his market and that he had hit Raffela on the head with an ax. Raffela, who was found dying at the market, made an ante-mortem statement that he was struck by Romano during a dispute over a bill.

BANDIT HOLDS UP ENTIRE FAMILY

LEWISTON, Pa., Sept. 4.—A lone highwayman, believed to be the man who robbed the Pennsylvania Railroad train near here several nights ago, held up Robert F. Little, a prominent citizen, and his family on a public road, not far from the place where the train robbery was committed, and it is believed that the capture of the bandit is a matter of but a few hours.

CYCLONE TOOK BULL A MILE THROUGH AIR

TOPEKA, Kan., Sept. 4.—A cyclone in Norton County, picked up a 1,700 pound bull and carried it one mile through the air. It was worth $700.

Several objects believed to be chickens, when they came down proved to be Hereford cattle.

CLYDE FITCH MUCH WORSE

CHALONS, SUR MARNE, France, Sept. 4.—The condition of Clyde Fitch, the American playwright, was declared by his physicians to be alarming to-day.

Mr. Fitch was taken with an acute attack of appendicitis while traveling in a motor car from Germany. He was operated on here by Dr. Alquier.

YOUNG WIFE TIRES OF AGED REFORMER

DES MOINES, Ia., Sept. 4.—Mrs. Nellie Ingalls Coffin, bride of "Father" L. S. Coffin, famous the country over as a reformer and philanthropist, is after a divorce. Coffin married Nellie A. Ingalls in Detroit, April 4, 1908. He met his bride, who was fifty years younger than he, at the Railroad Men's Home at Highland Park, Ill., where she was a matron. "Father" Coffin is eighty-six years old.

In her petition Mrs. Coffin states that he abused her; shaking his fist at her, used strong language, ordered her out of the home and compelled her to work beyond her strength. "Father" Coffin is worth $200,000.

5 DIE, 40 HURT IN CATANIA CYCLONE

ROME, Sept. 4.—Five persons were killed in the cyclone which swept a portion of Catania and nearly destroyed the town of Scordia, according to dispatches received to-day. Forty persons were injured, some of them fatally, and 100 buildings were blown down. Great damage was done to other property.

FELL 75 FEET; DIDN'T WANT TO STOP WORK

SUMMIT, N. J., Sept. 4.—Frank A. Lommis, a decorator, fell seventy-five feet from a scaffold in the Central Presbyterian Church. Instead of being dead, he was walking around when fellow workmen reached him, and protested against going home for the rest of the day.

NEWPORT'S SOCIAL RINGMISTRESS—Read what the Sunday BOSTON AMERICAN will have to say about Mrs. Newton Adams.

TO-DAY'S CABLE NEWS

Up to Midnight, London Time

King Edward's Health Surprises Doctor.

MARIENBAD, Austria—King Edward, having completed the cure, started by train for London. Dr. Ott pronounces his health as perfect. He says he was astonished at the robust condition of the British monarch, declaring that his strength is equal to that of a sound man ten years his junior. King Edward has invited Dr. Ott to visit him at Sandringham in November.

King Edward lacks five weeks of being sixty-eight years old.

Sign Manchurian Pact.

TOKIO—The Manchurian agreement between Japan and China was signed this afternoon, the foreign office announces. The text will soon be made public. Japan is understood to have secured control of Central Railway franchises in Manchuria with the right to construct further lines, as well as the privilege of loaning China half the capital for the construction of the Kirin Railway to the Korean frontier.

Cuban Cigarmakers Protest.

HAVANA—Union workers in all branches of the cigar and cigarette industries and the anti-trust tobacco growers have petitioned President Gomez to call an extra session of Congress to legislate against countries discriminating against Cuban tobacco. Ever since the strike of the cigarmakers in the Summer of 1907 the industry has been gradually transferred to Tampa and Key West.

Against Death Penalty.

BUDAPEST—Several delegates to the Medical Congress have presented a memorial to the president protesting against capital punishment. A Russian delegate has introduced a motion advocating exclusion from the medical corporation of doctors who assist at executions.

Congo Natives Eat White Man.

BRUSSELS—News has been received from the Congo that a white merchant has been killed and eaten by natives at Longo. An expedition has been sent to punish them.

Woman Explorer Coming.

PARIS—Mme. Aullack Jorkman, who is famous as a mountain climber, is on her way to New York on the Deutschland.

Swedish Strike to End.

STOCKHOLM—It is understood that as the result of negotiations the strikers will resume work on September 9.

MYSTERIOUS MUMMY WINS WAR carried on for 3,000 years. Read what it is, why it fought and how it won in the SUNDAY AMERICAN.

REFUSED MONEY TO WED; KILLS MOTHER

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Sept. 4.—Because, so it is supposed, his mother refused to give him money with which to get married, George Simons, a civil engineer, twenty-one years of age, killed her. He carried her body to a spare room and covered it with quicklime. He locked and screwed fast the door and closed the cracks with paraffine to make it appear like a solid wall. He put up a sign with the word "paint" on it, so that none would touch it.

He shot himself while at the home of his sweetheart, Miss Viola Hartranft, when he heard the police asking for him. He was not even under suspicion.

YOUNG MEN FOR U. S. CUSTOMS JOB

James B. Reynolds, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, who passed through this city en route for Washington, paid an unexpected visit to the Boston Customhouse and threw a bomb into the ranks of the weighers and inspectors by announcing that the older men in both departments would soon be replaced by younger and more active men.

The older men who are thus pressed out of service will, however, be placed in less conspicuous positions indoors.

FLUSSER PASSES WATER TEST

BATH, Me., Sept. 4.—That part of her contract calling for a water consumption test was successfully met by the torpedo boat destroyer Flusser, and she was saluted on all sides when she came up the Kennebec river to the Bath Iron Works, where she was built. The 24-hour run at 16 knots speed was completed this forenoon and she arrived here at 10 o'clock. The contract called for not exceeding 15.2 pounds of water per shaft horsepower per hour during the 24 hours, and this test was not only met, but was beaten by a big margin.

AT 73 TAKES THIRD WIFE

SANTA ROSA, Sept. 4.—Twice previously married and seventy-three years of age did not deter John N. Ferguson, Alexander valley pioneer, owner of a big estate, from making another matrimonial venture. He came to Santa Rosa and obtained a license to wed Mrs. Eunice Naomi Beeson, a widow of the Alexander section, sixty-nine years old.

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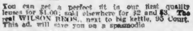

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FIALA TELLS OF DIRE HARDSHIPS UNDERGONE ON COOK'S POLAR TRIP

By ANTHONY FIALA.

Commander of the Ziegler Polar Expedition of 1903-5.

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—To appreciate what Dr. Cook has accomplished, one must go with him in mind over the trail which he and his Eskimos broke through the long, lonely leagues of bristling ice fields. One must feel the dampening, deadening chill of the dark Arctic night and know what it means to face the freezing, ice-laden winds of the Far North—winds that cut like a sand blast and cause even the fur-coated dogs to whine and lie down. One must also feel the pangs of hunger and suffer with thirst when food and drink mean heat as well as energy in a place where both are expended with such prodigal waste.

Dr. Cook's start from civilization was quiet and unostentatious. Not knowing whether he would be able to reach a Winter base with his little frail schooner, he did the right thing in not telling his plans. He knew there was the chance that despite all his preparations, his tiny boat would be kept below the ice fields.

Good Fortune Blessed Him.

But good fortune blessed him at the outset and he succeeded in reaching that now famous little Eskimo settlement of Etah, on the western shore of Greenland. The long Winter must have been a lonely one with only one white man to speak to. But there was the sledge trip to look forward to. Hope, the great buoyant force of the race, was in his little smoky hut, and during the time when darkness covered the ice on land and sea, the doctor and his companion prepared for the trial of strength that was to take place on the return of the light.

With the first twilight that revealed the southern horizon and filled the air with its luminous life, the doctor started for the North.

He had a long journey of many hundred miles before he reached the limit of land at Cape Hubbard; a hard march in which he and his Eskimo companions and dogs subsisted on the country. Musk ox, polar bears and seals fell before their rifles, for the precious loads on their sledges had to be preserved intact for the supreme effort on the rushing, grinding floes of the North Polar Sea. If he had gone North on a great ice-breaking ship, like many another explorer, the long journey in the coldest time of the year might have been unnecessary.

Sends Last Message to Francke.

When forty miles out on the sea he sends a last message to his faithful Francke at Etah. His supporting party of Eskimos bid him good-by, as they do also their two brothers who are to brave the terrors of the North. Then they turn back toward Etah with his message and our explorer goes on, not to be heard from until another Winter and Summer have passed.

It was still in early March when he started struggling over the rough ice fields that are always near Arctic lands. The sun let its face be seen only a few hours a day, and then the gloom of night would imprison the party and cut the marches short.

Then they would build a snow hut on the moving floes and shiver in their sleeping bags until another revolution of the earth would bring the rising sun to cheer them on their way.

To one who has not seen the broken ice and mountainous ridges of the polar pack it is difficult to conceive what backbreaking labor it is to force a way North. Dr. Cook was fortunate in meeting long stretches of fairly smooth ice, and that is explanatory of his success. But still he could not escape the many ridges and broken fields in his first 100 to 200 miles. Hills and pinnacles of ice where sometimes a sledge would have to be lifted bodily out of a hole and pushed by main force from floe to floe were frequently encountered.

Perspiration Turns to Ice.

I have many a memory of working long weary hours shouting at the dogs and pushing a 600-pound sledge up steep ascents over a trail laboriously and roughly constructed with picks across ridge after ridge of fissure ice. We hauled and pushed and lifted until every muscle pained and the perspiration poured out on our faces and bodies just as if fed from a fountain. Although the temperature was many degrees below zero, the violence of our efforts kept us in a bath of moisture which turned into the misery of ice when we would halt for camp and rest.

We were troubled by lanes of water filled with moving masses of crushed ice blocks, too thick to launch a boat in and too soft to step upon. But the low temperature which Dr. Cook experienced solidified these icy lanes and many a mile was accomplished in those early days of March, 1908, which would have been impossible later on. In addition to the countless barriers of ice that had to be surmounted, there were the storms that would blow across the ice fields and make travel impossible. Then the party would be obliged to lie in their sleeping bags in their little ice house or tent and live on short rations.

But hope again would spur the leader on, and as the party aproached the mystic centre of the earth the fields grew smoother. Dr. Cook had still evidences of land, but he could not stop to explore. His limited food prevented that.

The Worst Battle of II.

What must have been his feelings when at last, after almost superhuman efforts, his feet rested on the point where all meridians meet and cross and where there is no east or west, for all points of the compass are south at the Pole.

But all this strenuous effort would have been vain had he failed to again reach land. Then commenced the worst battle of all—the fight against starvation and time.

Dogs were fed to dogs. The faithful animals had to die as a reward for their suffering and labors. Fed on one-half and one-quarter rations and driven to the point of exhaustion, these poor beasts dragged the sledges slowly southward. In what fearful straits the party fell we can only surmise.

As the season advanced the ice became more menacing. The lanes which had been frozen on their outward trip opened up as the sun pointed higher in the firmament, and deep snow added its clogging misery to bar the progress of the party home. They killed all their dogs. Possibly they ate some of them. The rifle ammunition was gone when, at last, like veritable savages, they reached the land with nothing but their records and a supreme joy in their hearts that victory was theirs.

SUFFRAGETTES STONE BIRRELL

MANCHESTER, Eng., Sept. 4.—While Irish Secretary Birrell was speaking at a political meeting this afternoon two huge rocks crashed through the skylight of the hall, throwing the audience into a panic. The police started an investigation and found two suffragettes perched upon an adjoining roof with a quantity of stones which they were tossing upon the top of the hall. Both were arrested.

A SUNDAY AMERICAN want advt. is often the road to fortune.

5 PRESIDENTS GUESTS.

The Mount Hope Citizens' Association met in the Stephen M. Weld schoolhouse. Five presidents of other improvement associations were present, and also Judge M. J. Sullivan, president of the United Improvement Association of Boston.

VATICAN IN PERIL BY FIRE

ROME, Sept. 4.—The Vatican was saved from flames to-day by the heroic efforts of the fire department, when fire broke out which threatened the Church of St. Anne, almost adjoining several buildings of the Vatican.

With desperate energy the fire fighters worked to prevent a spread of the conflagration, while preparations were made to remove many of the sacred relics from the Pope's official residence. The blaze was finally subdued, after two hours' fighting.

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"I HAVE THE PROOFS, LET SCIENTISTS DECIDE."===DR. COOK.

"I have found the North Pole. Scientists must decide for themselves whether I am speaking the truth or not. I shall submit the evidence to them in absolute assurance that they will find the claim justified."—*STATEMENT BY DR. COOK IN COPENHAGEN TO-DAY.*

COOK DECLARES HE HAS THE PROOF TO DISPEL DOUBT OF ALL SKEPTICS

COPENHAGEN, Sept. 4.—Supreme self confidence was the one note surging throughout the interview which Dr. Cook accorded the newspaper men upon his triumphant arrival at Copenhagen to-day on the little steamship Hans Egede.

It was a royal welcome, but its warmth and enthusiasm seemed to make no impression upon the American explorer. Above everything stood out his firm conviction that the proofs of his discovery of the Pole which he had brought back with him from the northern regions would utterly confound his most exacting and skeptical critics.

After listening to Dr. Cook's words, a number of scientists who had gone out with the King's envoy to welcome the explorer, declared themselves to a man convinced of the sincerity of his statements.

"I will scientifically prove my achievement and dispel all doubt," said Dr. Cook, after acknowledging the royal welcome. "I daily took observations with the best instruments after leaving the 85th degree all the way to the Pole in order to insure accuracy. From April 12 to the 21st, when I found the Pole, and during my two days stay there, I took double observations.

"On the return journey, I continued to take daily observations for a week, but heavy fog for three days compelled me to cease. I confirmed all my first observations and estimates by following observations."

Reply to Speed Critics.

Replying to the criticism of the speed made on the trip Dr. Cook said:

"That is not strange. Fifteen miles a day is moderate speed for the Eskimos and they sometimes travel much faster than this on their sledges."

The scientists returning from Greenland were shown conclusive data by Dr. Cook and they all became fast friends.

Dr. Cook repeated his statement that he had lived entirely as an Eskimo, thereby preserving his health and enabling him to make a successful dash. That was one of the secrets of his success, he declared, but another was the exceptionally favorable season.

"The weather could not have been better for exploration and the ice was hard and smooth," he asserted.

The Crown Prince of Denmark and representatives from national, civic and scientific organizations greeted the explorer at the pier, while the crowds, cheering vociferously, thronged about them beyond the rope of the police.

"Hobson Greeting" for Cook.

The police tried to form an opening for Dr. Cook to walk to an automobile, but for a time this was impossible. Shouting and throwing their hats in the air the mob lost themselves in their enthusiasm, while the women cheered and waved their handkerchiefs. Some even attempted the "Hobson greeting" for the explorer.

Finally, after a great deal of difficulty, Dr. Cook managed to get down the gangplank and at the sight of him the crowds gave vent to their enthusiasm without stint. Slowly a road was cleared through the press of humanity and Dr. Cook was bundled into the automobile.

Then started a triumphal journey towards the Hotel Phoenix, where accommodations had been reserved for him. All along the route the jam was so great that the car moved at a snail's pace and frequently had to stop to avoid running down the excited men and women who rushed into the street in front of the machine shouting in Danish and cheering tumultuously. Crowds had surrounded both the American legation and the Phoenix Hotel, but as soon as it was learned that the explorer had started for the hostelry the crowds surged in that direction.

A number of persons were slightly injured by being squeezed and trampled, but none was seriously hurt.

As the interviewers gathered around Dr. Cook in the Phoenix Hotel he said:

"I have found the North Pole. Scientists must decide for themselves whether I am speaking the truth or not. I shall submit the evidence to them in absolute assurance that they will find the claim justified."

"I have been to the North Pole and have brought back the most exact observations absolutely proving my statement. I kept a diary throughout the entire expedition in which I recorded the most minute details.

"It was not my intention at the start to proceed to the Pole; I was merely on an Arctic excursion. But as I found conditions favorable I continued on to the Pole. I discovered two hitherto unknown islands.

"We missed the depots which had previously been established, but we came accidentally upon one of Melville's depots, where we found provisions and instruments in an excellent state of preservation.

Provisions Became Exhausted.

"Owing to the smallness of my expedition our requirements were not large. For the same reason we were able to proceed most quickly. As I approached the Pole the Eskimos with me became utterly frightened at the meteorological conditions.

"On the return trip the provisions became exhausted. No animal life was visible and for three days we had nothing to eat. Then, in a crevice of the ice we caught sight of several walruses. I had only a few cartridges left. I crept along on my stomach, approaching the animals slowly so as not to frighten them. I shot away all the cartridges we had and killed two of the walruses. They saved our lives.

"Then we broke up the sledges and the Eskimos fashioned pieces of wood into spears and bows and arrows and killed game with these arms.

"Again, near Cape York, we were virtually starving to death when we found a young seal on the ice and killed it. At Cape York we found many traces of the musk ox and killed a number of them. From Upernavik to Egedesminde I sailed on the same ship that carried the MacClintock and Franklin relief expeditions.

"If any one doubts that I found the pole, let him follow and I will lead the way back. I left a small brass tube bearing the message of my success beneath the flag."

Mobbed in the Hotel.

As soon as Dr. Cook arrived at the special apartments set aside for him in the Hotel Phoenix he was immediately surrounded by representatives of the various organizations and nearly crushed. The members of the Geographical Society on hand were so enthusiastic that they proceeded impromptu to drink the explorer's health. The hotel became a pandemonium filled with wildly cheering, jostling masses of people, all trying to get near enough to the American to grasp his hands. Many who had been commanded to extend invitations tried to fight their way through the jam by sheer force, and this nearly precipitated a riot.

During a lull in the uproar, Minister of Commerce Sansen delivered a speech to the assemblage in the hotel, welcoming Dr. Cook to the city, and inviting him to attend the banquet to-night. Dr. Cook arose to reply and the noise broke out afresh. Finally he managed to say that he would gladly accept the invitation, and that he intended remaining here for several days.

Dr. Cook has shaved off his beard and mustache and does not much resemble the published pictures of himself.

American Legation en Fete.

The American Legation was decorated resplendently with the flags of the United States. It was surrounded by a great throng. So great was the enthusiasm felt in the coming of the American explorer that preparations for his reception and entertainment went forward all night. Consequently there were conflicting arrangements, but guiding hands soon brought order.

Invitations of every sort poured upon the American Legation, directed to Dr. Cook, and it was soon made evident that if he took part in all the festivities planned he would soon be wishing himself back at latitude 90 with its scant fare. Hundreds of telegrams from America and all parts of the globe were at the legation awaiting the arrival of the explorer. They were mostly congratulatory.

Besides the reception of Dr. Cook by King Frederick, numerous entertainments were planned. They included banquets by the Minister of Commerce, the Municipal Council of Copenhagen, American Minister Egan and the Royal Geographical Society.

As the day advanced the enthusiasm increased. The city guard had to patrol the street around the American Legation all day, while launches bearing parties steamed about the harbor inspecting the Hans Egede, as if it had played some part in the discovery of the Pole.

Fireworks were exploded and those on board the Feodora planned a regular "Fourth of July" display by buying Roman candles and skyrockets.

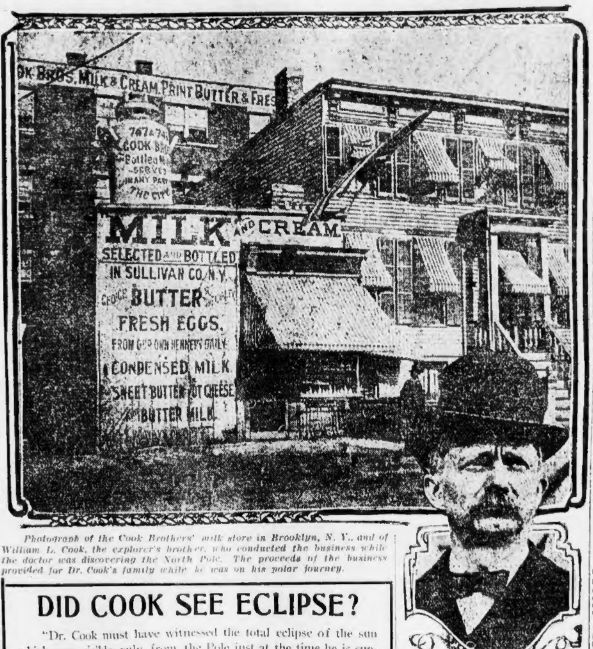
Town Awake All Night.

The great number of strangers in town was an impressive feature of Dr. Cook's reception. They came from the continent and the British isles, and all were anxious to meet Dr. Cook. There were many scientists and geographers among them. Accommodations were scarce, but that did not matter. Many persons did not go to bed at all, but stood upon the harbor front all night expecting every minute that the Egede would arrive. Thousands thus went without sleep, but this caused no diminution in the enthusiasm.

A big banquet will be tendered Dr. Cook to-night in the City Hall when he will formally meet the minister of commerce, the members of the city council and the Royal Geographical Society. Two of the most interesting personages at this banquet will be Mrs. Amundsen and her daughter who were among the last white people to say goodby to Dr. Cook at Cape York before he plunged into the northern solitude.

The Americans in the city spent the day celebrating in their own way. A number of American tourists had hurried into the city from European and British points, and the enterprising way in which they set about to honor Dr. Cook amazed the Danes.

Newspaper correspondents were numerous in the Danish capital and they attempted never to allow the explorer to get out of their sight. Cook's baggage excited considerable interest, for it was in his baggage that the corroboration of his wonderful discovery rested.



Photograph of the Cook Brothers' milk store in Brooklyn, N. Y., and of William L. Cook, the explorer's brother, who conducted the business while the doctor was discovering the North Pole. The proceeds of the business provided for Dr. Cook's family while he was on his polar journey.

DID COOK SEE ECLIPSE?

"Dr. Cook must have witnessed the total eclipse of the sun which was visible only from the Pole just at the time he is supposed to have reached it. This will give him an opportunity scientifically to prove that he has reached the Pole."—*Professor Emanuelli, astronomer, of Rome.*

BOSTON PILGRIMS HOLD GLAD HAND OUT TO DR. COOK

The Pilgrim Publicity Association, formerly the Ad Men's Club, whose members are advertising representatives in Boston, to-day sent to Dr. Cook at Copenhagen a cablegram which read:

"Congratulations! World's Greatest Pilgrim."

This message was signed Pilgrim Publicity Association, but the bestowal of the Pilgrim brotherhood upon the explorer came from the gray-topped brain tank of George Gallup of the Cosmopolitan Magazine, abetted by F. A. Belfall of the H. B. Humphrey Company.

TITLED SCIENTIST REBUKES SKEPTICS

LONDON, Sept. 4.—Sir Norman Lockyer, whose fame as an astronomer is world wide, expressed to-day his emphatic disapproval of skeptical comments with which Dr. Cook's report of success has been received.

"I protest strongly," said Sir Norman, "against these quite unjustifiable suggestions of bad faith, amounting to positive imposture, against a man who apparently is of good scientific repute and standing in his own country, and who has clearly commanded the full confidence of those who financed and supported his expedition.

"As Lieutenant Shackleton and others have already pointed out, when a man with such credentials reports himself as having succeeded in a certain undertaking we have absolutely no right to call his good faith in question unless there are convincing evidences of the untrustfulness of his story. Not only are there no such evidences in this case, but all circumstances and probabilities, it seems to me, point to the fact that Dr. Cook has actually done what he claims to have accomplished.

"I refuse to believe without the clearest proof that any man of science, with a reputation to lose, and that, I understand, is Dr. Cook's position in the United States of America, would contemplate for a moment such gross betrayal of the trust reposed in him, for, mind you, there is no possibility of a mistake or misapprehension in the case. If Dr. Cook had not reached the Pole, as he says, his statement would convict him of conscious, deliberate fraud. There is no middle course in the matter.

"Moreover, such a fraud would be a stupid, utterly ineffective one, since the moment his observations were published it would become possible to learn from them with infallible accuracy whether he reached the Pole or not. It would be absolutely impossible for those observations to be forged in such a way as to carry through a successful deception. It follows, therefore, that from all considerations of honor it simply would not have been worth while for a man to make such a claim unless it were grounded on fact.

"For these reasons I most assuredly am prepared, as matters stand, to put my money on Dr. Cook, and I consider that attempts to discredit his claim, by whatever motive they may be prompted, are very much to be deplored, being, as I say, entirely unwarranted, alike by the facts as we know them and by the probabilities of the case."

DEATH OF AN IRISH EXPLORER RECALLED BY DR. COOK'S FEAT

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

Will you please answer the following in the AMERICAN? What year did Collins of city of Cork, Ireland, lose his life in attempt to reach North Pole, and how far distant was he from the final spot? I remember seeing his funeral in Cork about twenty-two years ago.

CITY OF CORK MAN.

September 3.

The man to whom our correspondent refers was Jerome J. Collins, a native of the City of Cork. He was educated in Cork and became a civil engineer. Before he emigrated to the United States, he made a survey of Daunt's Rock, off Cork harbor, as a preliminary to the destruction of the rock which, while doing good service as a guide light in the run from New York to Queenstown, is also a serious danger to navigation. Although Collins made the plans for a gigantic mining of the rock "galleries," as he called them, under the sea, the work was never carried any further, presumably because of the expense.

Collins went to New York early in the 70's and joined the staff of a New York newspaper, having charge of its storm predicting or metereological bureau. In 1879 he went on the ill-fated Jeannette, sent out under the command of Lieutenant De Long to explore the Arctic Sea through Behring Strait.

The Jeannette was crushed in the polar ice and all her company perished. The skeletoned remains of Collins and a few of his comrades were recovered a few years later and brought home to the United States. The body of Collins was taken in charge by the Irish Societies of New York and accompanied by a committee of friends was taken to his native city, where, on a Sunday afternoon, which was marked by the wildest storm, the dead scientist and explorer was accorded the honor of a great public funeral.

WIFE OVERCOME BY COOK'S SUCCESS IN REACHING THE POLE

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—A message from Mrs. Frederick A. Cook to-day informed her friend, Mrs. R. T. Davidson of Brooklyn, that the explorer's wife is still in Portland, Me. She did not say when she would come to New York, but Mrs. Davidson said that she expected her very soon.

Mrs. Cook's reluctance to talk about her husband's reported exploit was explained by Mrs. Davidson to-day. "I think," said Mrs. Davidson, "that Mrs. Cook is merely overcome by the magnitude of the news, that came as unexpectedly to her as to the rest of the world. There is no reason why she would be unwilling to discuss her husband and his achievements, and she is well qualified to do so.

"Reports of a coolness between Dr. Cook and his wife have no foundation. I never knew a more devoted wife—devoted both to Dr. Cook, the man, and his career. Mrs. Cook was of great assistance to her husband in his work.

"She helped him in his literary labors, and I have seen her surrounded with books of reference, doing much of the laborious research necessary for articles such as her husband has written.

"Although Dr. Cook's absence and the depletion of the family finances, resulting from his expeditions, has been hard for Mrs. Cook and her daughters, I have never heard her complain. She has always been confident of her husband's success and ready to make sacrifices to help him.

"At present I believe that she wants time to adjust herself to new conditions and fully realize the significance of her position before she talks for publication."

Mrs. Davidson said that there was a quantity of letters and telegrams and cablegrams waiting for the explorer's wife at the Davidson home in Brooklyn. She was sure that no message from Dr. Cook was among them.

CROWN PRINCE HONORS EXPLORER

COPENHAGEN, Sept. 4.—In greeting Dr. Cook at the pier to-day Crown Prince Christian paid his prowess a high compliment.

"I most heartily congratulate you on the high accomplishment of the great feat which will bring high and lasting honor on your country," said the royal representative.

30,000 MILES OF NEW LAND FOUND ON DASH TO POLE

COPENHAGEN, Sept. 4.—The authorities on Arctic exploration here to-day expressed fear that Dr. Cook will find it impossible to produce absolute proof of his discovery of the Pole, despite the fact that experts who have examined his records say they are accurate as far as it is possible to test them.

To a party of Copenhagen journalists who went to the Skaw, the northernmost point of Denmark, last night, for the purpose of intercepting the steamship Hans Egede, Dr. Cook declined to elaborate his tale of adventures, hardships and discovery. He confined himself to a repetition of the statements already given to the world.

Dr. Cook merely reiterated that he and his two Eskimo companions knew that they had finally reached the coveted goal, because the location tallied in all particulars with careful astronomical observations they had carried out day and night for a fortnight immediately preceding April 21.

Dr. Cook said that he did not consider the location of the Pole as important as the fact that he had discovered and traversed 30,000 square miles of new land.

He stands by the statement that he encountered a temperature of minus 83 degrees centigrade. This is a degree of cold never before observed outside of a laboratory. It is equivalent to 149 degrees fahrenheit below the freezing point, or 117 degrees below zero fahrenheit. The greatest cold previously recorded under natural conditions was 65 degrees below zero of fahrenheit, observed by Peary.

BROKE ANKLE IN PARACHUTE DROP

WATERVILLE, Me., Sept. 4.—John Dupree, of Brockton, Mass., broke his right ankle while descending in a parachute from a balloon sent up from the Central Maine fair grounds. The parachute caught in an apple tree and turned from its downward course, and the aeronaut fell on the leg.

SPLENDID FICTION FREE. It is contained in the literary supplement of the SUNDAY AMERICAN.

CARS BUCKLE, 20 ARE IN WRECK

CONCORD JUNCTION, Sept. 4.—A freight train of twenty cars was wrecked directly in front of the Concord Junction station to-day by the buckling up of two sand cars in its middle. No one was injured, but traffic on the inward track was tied up for more than two hours before the wrecking train was able to clear the way.

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CONQUEST OF THE NORTH

By PERCY SHAW.

The dark North rubs bewildered eyes
As back her ice banked curtains roll;
As crushed the Sphinx of ages lies—
The Stars and Stripes wave o'er the Pole.

What stories could the Northern Lights
Flash on the passing human scroll
Of heroes battling through the nights
To win the shadow of the Pole.

What hopes as over blue ice plains
Bleeding and hungry, sick at soul,
They strained their eyes and scorned their pains
And, baffled, turned—far from the Pole.

What tragedies, when, side by side.
Men shared the last long garnered dole,
And, Franklin-like, clasped hands and died,
Martyrs to Science and the Pole.

At last attained: The nations rise
To cheer the triumph at the goal,
To thunder to the listening skies,
The Stars and Stripes wave o'er the Pole.

GIRL GOES 3,500 MILES TO MARRY

EXETER, N. H., Sept. 4.—On a journey of 3,500 miles to become the bride of a Massachusetts Institute of Technology graduate, Miss Margaret C. Fuller, a former student at Radcliffe College, has left here en route to Portland, Ore. Upon her arrival in the Pacific coast city, Miss Fuller, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur D. Fuller of Exeter, will be married to Edward M. Eliot, an engineer of that place.

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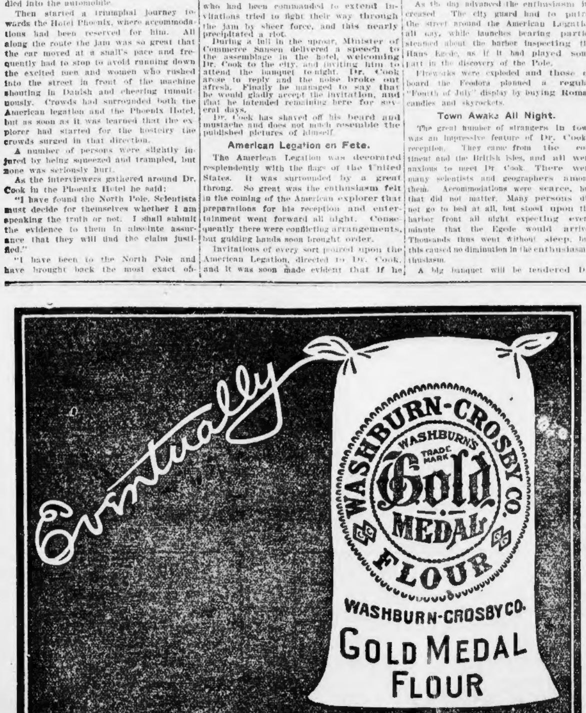


INAUGURATION OF LOWELL TO BEGIN OCT. 5

The first official announcement of the program for the inauguration of A. Lawrence Lowell, as President of Harvard, was given to-day at Harvard. The exercises begin on Tuesday, October 5, with a reception at the Harvard Union to visitors from colleges and learned societies. On the following day, October 6, the inaugural exercises will be held in a pavilion erected in the college yard in front of University Hall, where President Lowell will deliver his inaugural address and confer honorary degrees. At night there will be a concert by the Boston Symphony Orchestra in Sanders Theatre, followed by a students' celebration at 9:30 o'clock in the Stadium.

On the last day, Thursday, October 17, there will be addresses by the visiting delegatts from other universities in Sanders Theatre in the morning, with a reception in the afternoon by President and Mrs. Lowell in University Hall, and a dinner at night in the Harvard Union, given by President Lowell and the Fellows of Harvard College in honor of the visiting delegates, will close the three days' exercises.

WONDERFUL FINALE FOR WONDERLAND

Among the new features in the great "Cinderella" production at Wonderland next week will be a singing and dancing number entitled "Tipperary," introducing Irish jigs by twenty members of the company. New light effects are employed. This great show, perhaps the greatest ever given in any Summer park, is free to everybody obtaining admission at the gate. The vaudeville show will hold some unusual skits and acrobatic turns in the coming week and this show with park admission is given absolutely free with SUNDAY AMERICAN tickets, while twelve remaining coupons are for half-fares to the park's great rides and shows, good on Tuesday or Wednesday. Wonderland is making great preparations for Labor Day when the shows will all run extra performances. The gates will then be open from 11 a. m. to 11 p. m. Combination tickets will be sold giving admission and ten shows for fifty cents. Extra music is to be furnished. The Sunday American Outing Club will find in to-morrow's paper the last of this season's SUNDAY AMERICAN free tickets to the great North Shore resort.

WOMEN DELEGATES IN FIERCE DISPUTE

A dispute which threatens to spread trouble in the ranks of the Boston delegation to the Women's Auxiliary of the National Association of Letter Carriers took place at the meeting in St. Paul, Minn. The trouble came about through a discussion as to whether Mrs. Anna Lindsay or Mrs. Mary Parker was the accredited delegate of the Boston section party. The affair took on the dimensions of a wordy pitched battle, which threatened to disrupt the meeting, as each one of the Boston women believed herself alone entitled to place as delegate.

Finally the matter was settled by a vote which resulted in a victory, by a slight margin, for Mrs. Lindsay.

THAT EMPTY GRAVE—Read this weirdly fascinating story in the SUNDAY AMERICAN.

SOCIETY LEADERS AT NAVAL WEDDING

MAGNOLIA, Sept. 4.—Society leaders attended a naval wedding here at noon to-day, when Mrs. Carroll Livingston of New York became the bride of Lieutenant-Commander B. B. McCormick of the battleship Mississippi in the drawing room of the McDonald cottage. Chaplain Reaney of the groom's ship officiated, assisted by the Rev. Father Fennessey of St. Anne's Church, Magnolia. The bride was attended by Miss Katherine McCormick, the groom's sister, and Paymaster McCowan of the Atlantic squadron was best man.

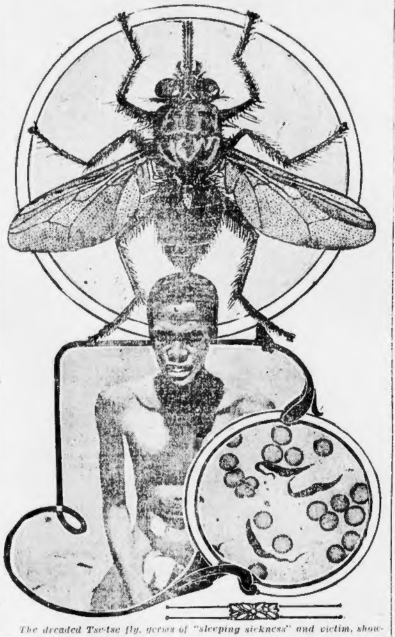
MAN HAD BASKET FULL OF PRIZE CUPS

With a battered old fish basket under his arm filled to the brim with pieces of stolen silver prize cups, Henry J. Sullivan, with a record for burglary, was arrested by Patrolman Reardon as he was entering the house at No. 101 Tyler street. In the basket which Sullivan had was found about $500 worth of silver cups that had been battered and cut into pieces.

ITALIAN CRUISER AT PROVIDENCE

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 4.—The Italian cruiser Etruria, the first foreign warship to visit here since the Revolution, dropped anchor off Field's Point early to-day, having come from Philadelphia. The Etruria's men will parade on Monday.

U. S. TO DISINFECT ROOSEVELT SKINS IN FEAR OF TSE-TSE FLY



The dreaded Tse-tse fly, germs of "sleeping sickness" and victim, showing swelling around neck.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—The United States Treasury Department will take steps to determine what amount of danger to the country may be lurking in the tse-tse fly found in the imported African hunt trophies of former President Roosevelt.

One of the Department officials today said he would take the matter under consideration, especially that phrase looking to an inspection and disinfection at New York, the port of entry of the specimens in the United States as additional security to the United States.

This treasury official will determine under what jurisdiction, such as custom house or marine hospital service, the difficulty could best be met, if there is reasonable ground to believe that danger is to be feared.

The Treasury Department will therefore probably discuss the questions involved with the custom house officials at New York and the health authorities here and in New York. As at the Smithsonian Institution, the treasury officials are disposed to regard Rosevelt's assistants in Africa as having done their work as well as they knew how.

Nevertheless, Smithsonian experts will take additional precautions, in looking over the specimens which have already arrived. There are, however, specimens of the largest mammals now on the way to the United States, according to cable advices received to-day.

Should the Treasury Department find any reasonable doubt, it will certainly make provision for additional inspection at New York. The goods, as they may be termed, are consigned to the Smithsonian Institution, and as that institution is willing to go the limit for the public safety, the Treasury Department and C. D. Walcott of the Smithsonian Institution will co-operate to have a clean bill of health for the skins on entry into New York.

Local interests for instance in the city of New York might have something to say about the passage through their city of any suspected consignment.

The health authorities of the city of Washington, did not hesitate to call on the Smithsonian authorities for a guarantee of safety.

After their demand had been made, it was announced by James E. Benedict, the official, who has charge of the skins, that when the larger skins are untanked, a special solution of preparation of sulphuric acid will be applied to them.

COOK COCKTAIL AN ARCTIC NECTAR

Following the Cook highball, which made its appearance in Boston yesterday, the Cook cocktail was announced as an appetizer early to-day. Those who sipped the new drink declared it an Arctic nectar of real delight. Here are the details of the concoction as made in Summer street and other resorts.

Juice of one lemon, a pony of gin, a tablespoon of Maraschino, white of one egg; mix in a tumbler, and fill with ice. Two of these are declared to be a sufficiency for any normal person, but any beyond three are guaranteed to start the person who drinks them on a hunt for the North Pole at once.

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RED CROSS APPEAL FOR FLOOD VICTIMS

Miss Katharine P. Loring, secretary of the Massachusetts branch of the American National Red Cross Society, to-day makes public an appeal which the society has issued for subscriptions to help the sufferers from the floods in Monterey, Mex. The American Red Cross Society has sent $2,000 to Mr. Hanna, Consul-General for the United States at Monterey, and he will direct the relief work. Contributions may be sent to Gardner M. Lane, No. 44 State street, Boston.

HELD IN $500 ON CHARGE OF BREAK

In Charlestown Court to-day James Pilbreaux, who says he is nineteen years old and lives in New York, was held in $500 for the grand jury on a breaking and entering charge. He was arrested after a half mile chase. Mrs. Catherine Boyle conducts a lodging house at No. 142 Chelsea street, and she found the prisoner, she says, in a room on the third floor, and when she asked him who he was and what he was doing there he made a bolt for the street, dropping a watch.

GUNNING FOR NATURE—The SUNDAY AMERICAN will tell how Uncle Sam is searching every corner of the world for plans to make American farms better.

$1500 TO CHARITY BY DEDHAM WOMAN

DEDHAM, Sept. 4.—Among the many charitable institutions benefited by the will of Elizabeth B. Maxwell of Milton is the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, the McLean Hospital of Waverley, the Roxbury Charitable Society, the Home for Aged Couples, Roxbury, and the Home for Aged Colored Women, Boston. In all the sum of $15,419 is distributed, according to the final account of the executor, George T. Tilden.

SAILOR IS HELD IN DEATH CASE

Robert M. Mongin, a sailor on the Merchants & Mariners liner Juanita, was arraigned to-day in the municipal court charged with manslaughter in connection with the death of John J. Brown of Baltimore, an oilman on the same boat. Mongin pleaded not guilty and was held in $1,000 until September 9. Four members of the crew were detained as witnesses. Brown's body was found on the deck of the boat with two bullet wounds.

PROF. FORD WEDS MISS MARIAN TYLER

At noon to-day in the Church of Our Saviour at Longwood, Miss Marian Willard Tyler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willard C. Tyler of Brookline, became the bride of Dr. James Ford of Cambridge. Rev. Reginald H. Howe, D. D., officiated. The bridegroom is a son of the late Andrew E. Ford of Clinton, and is a professor in the department of social ethics at Harvard University.

HOW TO WEAR YOUR HAIR—the SUNDAY AMERICAN will tell its women readers all the latest fashions in hair fixing and how to do them.

HURLEY TAKES HAND IN SALEM POLICE SCRAP

SALEM, Sept. 4.—Mayor John F. Hurley intimates that there is likely to be something doing at the meeting of the Board of Aldermen Tuesday as a result of the demand by the "Good Government" members of the board that City Marshal Joseph W. Dane be removed and a new appointment made. The "G. G.'s" have said that if the Mayor refuses to behead Dane they will do it themselves and appoint a successor. The "G. G.'s" are a majority in the board.

The demand for Marshal Dane's removal is the result of what some of the Aldermen say is his refusal to keep the lid on. Salem, with one exception, is the only oasis in a Sahara that extends from Boston to Portsmouth, and license here, according to the Good Government men, has attracted thirsty people from all nearby cities and towns.

"The action of the Board of Aldermen is intended as the first step in the movement to get rid of City Marshal Dane," said Alderman Rufus B. Adams, who started the trouble for Marshal Dane. "There are no specific charges, but the trouble is one of general lack of attention to the duties of the office, which has the effect of inefficiency.

"During the Summer there has been abundant cause for complaint and the Board of Aldermen took the first opportunity to place the responsibility upon the city marshal.

"There appears to be no discipline in the department. The city marshal leaves nearly everything to his subordinates, for upon every occasion when he has been consulted he has referred the applicant for information to Assistant Marshal Skinner. Though Mr. Dane has been in office approaching two years, he has never had a uniform, which shows what little pride he has in his position."

Aldermen Michael J. Doyle and John J. Cahill both maintain that there is no reason to criticise Marshal Dane. They hold that the conditions of which complaint is made have existed for months, that much of the trouble is due to the license system and not to the chief of police. In their opinion, the present action is inopportune.

City Marshal Dane is on his vacation.

GIRL JAILED FOR DRENCHING MATRON

Elizabeth Gelden, twenty-eight, was fined $10 by Judge Forsyth in the Municipal Court to-day for attacking Juliet Pattison, matron at the Young Women's Christian Union building on Warrenton street, South End. She was jailed. According to the testimony, Elizabeth hired a room at the Union two weeks ago. When the matron went to collect the rent, Elizabeth locked herself in the room and remained there two days. Sergeant Guard of Station 4, now a lieutenant, was summoned and while he and the matron were trying to open the door Elizabeth deluged the matron with a pitcher of water through the transom.

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The Perfume of the Lady in Black

A Thrilling, Absorbing Story by the Author of "The Mystery of the Yellow Room"

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CHAPTER X.—Continued.

IT was Mme. Darzac who was also seeking Rouletabille. A new peal of thunder burst and we heard the boy in his mad delirium hurling wild shouts of defiance to the heavens. She heard him. She saw him. We were drenched with water from the rain and the breaking of the sea on the terrace. Mme. Darzac's clothing clung around her like a rag and her skirt dripped as she walked. I took the wretched woman's arm and held her up, for I saw that she was about to fall, and at that moment, in the midst of that terrible unchaining of the elements, in that mad tempest, under this terrible downpour on the breast of the raging sea, I all at once breathed the perfume—the odor so sweet and penetrating and haunting that its fragrance has remained with me ever since—the Perfume of the Lady in Black. Ah, I understood now how Rouletabille had remembered it all these years.

And the heart would be perfumed by it, whether it was the heart of a son, like Rouletabille; or the heart of a lover, like M. Darzac; or the heart of a villain, like Larsan. No, no, the knowledge of it could never pass.

There in the night and the tempest, the Lady in Black called aloud to Rouletabille and he fled from us and rushed further into the night, shrieking aloud, "The perfume of the Lady in Black! the perfume of the Lady in Black!"

The unhappy woman sobbed. She drew me toward the tower. She struck with desperate hands at the door which Bernier opened to us and her weeping would have melted the heart of a stone.

I could only utter the veriest commonplaces, begging her to calm herself, although I would have given everything I had in the world to find words which, without betraying anyone, might perhaps have made her understand my own part in the sorrowful drama which was being played out between the mother and the child.

Suddenly she seemed to recover herself in some degree and she motioned me to enter the little parlor at the right which was just outside the bed chamber of Old Bob. The door stood open, but there we were as much alone as we could have been in her own room, for we knew that Old Bob worked late in the Tower of Charles the Bold.

I can assure you that in my memories of that horrible night the thought of the moments which I spent in the company of the Lady in Black are not the least sorrowful. I was put to a proof which I had not expected, and it was like a blow full in the face when, without even taking time to speak of the way in which we had been treated by the elements, Mme. Darzac looked me full in the eyes and demanded: "How long is it, M. Sainclair, that you were at Treport?"

At first I made no answer; then I stammered out some disconnected words.

She took both my hands in hers and said in a voice which I shall never forget: "You are his friend. Tell him," then, "that he is not the only one who has suffered." And she added with a sob which shook her whole frame:

"Why will he insist on not telling me the truth!"

She told me everything that I already knew in a few sentences as piteous and as simple as a mother's love itself—and she told me other things which Rouletabille had kept a secret from me. Evidently the game of hide and seek could not have lasted long. The relationship between them had been guessed by the one as surely as by the other. Led by a sure instinct Mme. Darzac had resolved to take means to learn who was this Rouletabille who had saved her from death and who was of the age of her own son—and who resembled the lad whom she had mourned as dead. And since her arrival at Mentone, a letter had reached her containing the proof that Rouletabille had lied to her in regard to his early life and had never set foot in any school at Bordeaux. Immediately, she had sought the youth and had asked for an explanation, but he had hurried away without replying. But he had seemed disturbed when she spoke to him of Treport and of the school at Eu, and the trip which we had made there before coming to Mentone.

"How did you know?" I exclaimed, betraying my secret without realizing that I was doing so.

She showed no sign of triumph at my involuntary confession, and in a few words went on to reveal to me her stratagem. That evening when I had taken her by surprise, it was not the first that she had been in my room. My luggage bore the labels of the hotels at which we had stopped on our recent journey.

"Why did he not throw himself into my arms when I opened them to him?" she moaned. "Ah, my God! if he refuses to be Larsan's son, will he never consent to be mine!"

But she had not found her son only to give him up so easily and she would—she must have him acknowledge her!

I saw a light in Rouletabille's room and I hastened up the rickety stairway. Rouletabille looked up.

"What do you want, Sainclair?"

I told him all that I had heard and my opinion of him for his actions which had so deeply wounded Mme. Darzac.

"She didn't tell you everything, my friend," he replied, coldly. "She did not tell you that she forbade me to touch that man."

"That is true!" I cried. "I heard her."

"Well, what have you come here to tell me then?" he went on roughly. "Do you know what she said to me yesterday? She ordered me to go away. She would rather die than see me take issue *against my father*."

At that moment the sound of a shot rang out on the night, followed by a cry of mortal agony! Rouletabille tottered as though the bullet had struck himself.

And then he bounded toward the open window, filling the fortress with a despairing burst of anguish:

"Mother! Mother! Mother!"

To be continued in to-morrow's Sunday American.

INSPECTOR NEILAN'S WIFE LEAD AT 73

Mrs. Bridget Neilan, wife of Inspector Michael Neilan of Cambridge police headquarters, and the mother of Patrolman John John P. Neilan of the Central square station, died at her home, No. 104 Pearl street, Cambridgeport, to-day. She was born in Wales seventy-three years ago, and came to this country when nine years of age. She leaves five children. The funeral will be held Monday from her home at 9:30. A solemn high mass will be sung at the Church of the Blessed Sacrament at 10 o'clock. Burial will be at Holy Cross Cemetery.

MALDEN MAN GONE.

The Malden police have been asked to locate George I. Worcester of No. 63 Edmund street, Malden, who has been missing from home for the past month. Mr. Worcester was before the Malden court on a non-support charge in April, and ordered to pay $6 a week for the support of his wife and five small children. He complied with the Court's order for some time, and suddenly disappeared.

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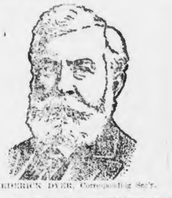

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THE CINDERELLA PARADE

RECENTLY there has been added to this production of the Charming Fairy Tale many new features, including the one pictured here, showing Cinderella and Prince Charming being drawn about the park grounds in their wonderful chariot by their fairies and pages. Thus, for those who have already been once there is still pleasure in store, and many more as well. Take the whole family down, next Tuesday or Wednesday, as guests of the SUNDAY AMERICAN to

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Will surely enjoy the elaborate production of this wonderful fairy tale, its beautiful costumes, charming characters and striking lights and stage effects. There have recently been added to the company twenty more young lads and misses, who sing and dance the celebrated Florodora Sextette and will appear in the chorus numbers. There are two performances, one at 3:30 and the other at 8:30 p. m.

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RICH MEN DEFEND TAX DODGING; DENY DUTY TO DECLARE PROPERTY

Should a man tell the truth about his taxable property?

That is the question that has been raised by the discovery that prominent Boston men have evaded the taxes on many millions of dollars' worth of property.

"A man is not expected to go over to City Hall and hunt up his tax bill," says Robert S. Minot.

Is this attitude honest?

Mr. Minot, who is newly assessed this year on $72,000 in personal property, said to a reporter:

"Because of the failure of the assessors to take advantage of the power vested in them by law Boston is not getting all that is its due on the day to taxes. The widows and orphans must suffer by this new activity, while the large holders of stocks and bonds on their own account escape the burden of taxation.

"The assessors know that ninety-nine men out of one hundred never make tax declarations of their own accord. The assessors, however, have the power to demand declarations, and, these failing, to doom the delinquent property holder. How many times do we hear of any dooming. Not often, as far as I can recall.

"If the assessors would really get after those who should bear the burden of taxation, the city would be in pocket to a large amount. The municipality assessment on personal property has increased only about $10,000,000 this year, I believe.

"As far as my increased assessment goes, it is entirely on trust funds. The Boston Personal Property Trust is a private affair and does not have to be recorded. I do not know how the assessors discovered it, but, probably, some of our documents were noticed at the State House and the new State supervisors of assessors informed the Boston officials about it.

"I am no tax-dodger. You can't dodge a brick until it is thrown, can you? The assessors have never before assessed us. A man is not expected to go over to City Hall and hunt up his tax bill. It is the assessors' duty to see that he gets it. But the assessors have been delinquent in getting after personal property in the past, and I have no reason to think that they will be more severe in the future with those who should shoulder the tax levy."

"This move on the part of the assessors will bear heavily upon the funds of the widows and orphans," Augustus P. Loring asserted. "The additional personal property attributed to me consists entirely of funds left in trust for such persons. It is composed of stocks and bonds, which now under the new burden must be converted into non-taxable holdings, for the pecuniary state of the beneficiaries requires that we save every cent we can for them.

Up to the Assessors.

"I suppose the assessors got their information from the State House. But it is sad that these persons of small means should suffer when men with large wealth manage to escape taxation.

"A trustee is scarcely to be expected to go about advertising his position. It is for the assessors to discover the property, not for us to advise them of its existence," remarked Moses Williams. "The increased assessment as far as I am concerned consists entirely of small trust holdings. I did not make a declaration of it nor do I know how it was discovered. But when the assessors asked me about it I acknowledged that I had charge of it. It is not a case of tax-dodging, but of having the assessors do what they are appointed to do—discover property upon which taxes should be paid."

Finance Commission Busy.

Tax dodgers in Boston may have reason to tremble. The Finance Commission has an expert at work on the books in the assessing department, and it is believed that the object is to get all the facts possible in regard to the evasion of personal taxations and tax abatements. The richest men and women in Boston live in Ward 11, which is the Back Bay district. Personal assessments in that ward have been going up. The assessors have been getting busy. This is believed to be the results of revelations and charges affecting very prominent citizens made within a few weeks.

Investigation of the assessing department of Malden led to such an increase in the city's income that the tax rate has been cut about $4 a thousand. Those who know the situation in that city say the same thing can be done in Boston.

GOOD SALES CLOSE BUSY REALTY WEEK

Although not quite up to the volume of yesterday the trading in the real estate market to-day was fairly good and some important sales were reported.

In the South End the three-story and basement swell front brick house with 1,453 square feet of land at No. 18 Dwight street, near Taylor street, assessed for a total of $7,500, has been sold by Edwina A. Stafford to Winnie A. Dysart. The land is rated for $3,700.

In the same section of the city Laurence H. H. Johnson has sold to Frederick Kem the two brick houses and 1136 square feet of land at Nos. 10-12 Trumbull street, near Newland street, assessed for a total of $3,400, of which $1,400 is on the land.

Thomas M. Smith has sold to Grace E. Emerson the three-story brick house and 1148 square feet of land at No. 152 Northampton street, near Shawmut avenue. This property is assessed for a total of $4,500, of which $2,000 is on the land.

In Brighton, William H. Rose has sold to Frank W. Quinn the frame dwelling house and 4282 square feet of land at No. 87 Arlington street, near Parsons street. The property is taxed on a total valuation of $2,600, of which $400 is on the land.

William J. McDonald reports the sale through his office of a new two-family frame house and 5252 square feet of land at No. 50 Quint avenue, opposite the Allston Congregational Church, near Brighton avenue, Brighton. The house, being new, is not yet assessed. The land is rated at 40 cents a foot.

Warren F. Freeman of the Kimball building reports the sale of two two-family houses, Nos. 8 and 10 Rowe street, off Brown avenue, Roslindale, to Louis A. Braman for investment. The houses contain two suites, six rooms and bath each, with all modern conveniences, together with 5000 square feet of land each. Frederick C. Reynolds, the grantor, was represented in the transaction by Benjamin P. Sands.

J. J. Billington has sold for the owner, George A. Merritt, the cottage house together with about 1200 square feet of land, at No. 13 Reeds court, Roxbury, to Peter F. Clasby. The property is assessed for $1,200, $700 being on the land.

FLOOD WAVES 50 FEET HIGH

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 4.—A special dispatch received here from Morelia, capital of the State of Michoacan, says that floods have ruined a large section of the Zamora district.

A terrible cloudburst in La Hondada and La Beata mountains caused rivers and streams to overflow, and miles of fertile valley are under water.

The scarcity of corn resulting from the flood may lead to a famine. The affected district is some hundreds of miles south of Monterey and 200 miles west of Mexico City.

Further details have been received here of the flood that swept the town of Tula, in the State of Tamaulipas, last Saturday. A wave fifty feet high rushed down the river and engulfed the lower half of the town.

Two hundred houses and the San Juan bridge were carried away.

Terrible as are the conditions at Monterey, the correspondent declares they are just as bad at Tula. The destructive wave, as it swept down the valley, was accompanied by a cyclonic wind and a hailstorm that destroyed crops.

The entire northeastern section of the State is said to have been laid waste. Railroad and telegraphic communication was destroyed and the population of Tula, some seven thousand people, were cut off from the rest of the nation for four days. It will be six or eight months before the highways can be restored.

Thirty bodies have already been recovered and many bodies of shepherds and mountaineers are being washed down into the valley below.

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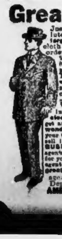

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LASSIES WILL BRAVE JAIL TO AID POOR

Unless permits are granted the Salvation Army and the American Salvation Army soon for making collections at street meetings the Salvation lassies will not only resume collections and suffer arrests, if necessary, but they will remain in jail without being bailed out in order to carry out their contention that the authorities have no right to interfere with their work.

The petition of the two armies to make street collections has been referred by the Overseers of the Poor to a committee of two. Secretary Pettee of the Board says that this committee is to investigate and report back to the Board possibly by the first Board meeting in October.

Colonel Gifford of the Salvation Army, who has just returned from New York, said to-day:

"It is persecution, if this information is correct. We do not wish to appear as antagonizing the officials, but because we have kept still the past month is no reason why we are going to lay down and let them walk over us.

"If it should prove that they are holding up these permits unreasonably, we will fight the matter to a finish. Of course, we will give this committee reasonable time to determine the expediency of granting us the permits—whatever they mean by that, but if we do not hear from them soon we will begin taking up our street collections again.

"We believe that the officials really have no right to interfere with the taking up of collections at these religious meetings; that the new law applies to standing on the streets with our boxes for the Thanksgiving and Christmas offerings."

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MISS DRESSLER IS BADLY BROKE

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—Poor little Marie Dressler! She's broke, awfully so.

She sat on a comfortable rocker in the front room of her apartment at No. 7 East Eighty-seventh street dispensing news and tea. In her lap was the what-d'ye-call-it—gulmpe or something—of a lovely red dress with gold braid trimmings, and Marie was busy between cups putting a new lining in the thing.

"I'm broke for fair; not a sou markee, and (stitch, stich) believe me or not, as you will, all the clothes I've got wouldn't bring $100 at a second-hand sale.

"Say, never again for me with that bunch! I just perfectly adore London, but the audiences—well, excuse me hereafter. Why, they were all crazy about me in vaudeville at the Coliseum—house packed from pit to dome and all that—but when I offered them a real play, with genuine American authors and lots of fun—you know, 'Higgledy-Piggledy,' my great success—why, they just went back on me and wouldn't even come to the opening. Yankee they called it, and that just settled it.

"Well, that's why I'm in bankruptcy."

TANK CAR OF DUST OIL LET LOOSE

Floods of dark, greasy, tarry oil smudged and smeared all over everything in the freight yards at Kent street, Brookline, when some vandal opened the spigot in a great tank car filled with calcium chloride. The odor was singularly offensive. Undetected until the huge tank was empty, the murky flood, a sort of thick tar, used in street sprinkling emulsions, covered all objects on the ground and started merrily on its dark way down Kent street. The damage has as yet not been estimated, but the loss of so many gallons may make some difference in the dust laying work in Brookline.

PRICES ON BEST BEEF SOAR AGAIN

CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—An advance of two and one-half to three cents a pound in the price of the best grades of dressed beef ribs and loins is announced by the wholesale butchers. The cost of the next best grades was increased one-half and one cent a pound, while the value of the cheapest grades was maintained at an unchanged figure. To offset the big advance in the prices of the better cuts, the price of the rounds was lowered one-half and one cent a pound.

PASTORS HAVE LIVE TOPICS FOR SERVICES

At the Clarendon Street Baptist Church the Rev. James A. Francis will preach at both services. The evening meeting will be held on the church steps.

The Rev. Thomas J. Villers of Newark, N. J., will preach at both services at the Dudley Street Baptist Church. The Page and Adams classes will meet at noon.

At the First Baptist Church the Rev. C. H. Watson will preach at both the morning and evening services.

The Rev. O. L. Gale, Evangelist, will occupy the pulpit at both services at the Ruggles Street Baptist Church.

"What Is Christianity" will be the evening topic at the Tabernacle Baptist Church. The Rev. Frederick E. Heath will preach at both meetings.

"The Relics of Prayer" and "The [illegible] Temple" will be the subjects of the Rev. Maurice A. Levy at the Tremont Temple Baptist Church. In the afternoon there will be a praise service by E. C. Lane.

Rev. H. S. Johnson Back.

The Rev. Herbert S. Johnson will preach at the Warren Avenue Baptist Church for the first time since his return from vacation. His subjects, "The Indissoluble Ties of Life" and "Mr. Harriman, His Cook and Track-Layers." There will be a Labor Day sermon.

"Man" will be the morning and afternoon topics at the First Church of Christ, Scientist. The Sunday school will meet in the morning.

The Rev. Allen E. Cross will preach at the morning service at the Old South Church. In the evening the Rev. Warren S. Archibald will preach.

At the Park Street Congregational Church the Rev. Dr. A. Z. Conrad will preach at the morning service on "A Note of Assurance in the Crisis of To-day." He will also preach in the evening.

"Man, God and Nature" will be the morning subject of the Rev. A. A. Berle at the Shawmut Congregational Church. His evening topic, "Slights for the Soul."

The Rev. John Hopkins Denison will preach at both sermons at the Central Church. His afternoon theme, "If."

"The Royal Law and Labor" will be the morning topic of the Rev. Allen A. Stockdale at the Union Congregational Church. The evening service will be held on the church steps.

Choral Evensong.

Rev. William Harman Van Allen will preach at both services at the Church of the Advent. There will be a choral evensong and service in the evening.

At Trinity Church Rev. F. I. Paradise of West Medford will preach at the morning service and holy communion.

"Man's First and Greatest Duty" will be the evening topic of Rev. George W. King at People's Temple.

Rev. H. D. Roberts of Liverpool will preach at King's Chapel at the morning service.

Rev. James Alexander will preach at the services at the First Presbyterian Church. His topics: "How to Win One's Desires" and "What Went Ye Out to See."

"OTTO SCHMIDT, JANITOR"—Sweet and delicious tale of three girls and an old German soldier. Read it in the SUNDAY AMERICAN.

AUTO CRASH KILLS SINGER

WATCH HILL, R. I., Sept. 4.—William H. Singer, the Pittsburg millionaire steel man, who was injured in an automobile accident at Matunuck on August 25, died at the Watch Hill House to-day. He had been unconscious practically all the time since the accident. His family were at his bedside.

Mr. Singer, beside being interested in steel manufacture, was also a large realty holder, in which he made many millions. He was for years a director in the United States Steel corporation. He entered it as a member of the steel corporation of Singer, Nimick & Company, which was absorbed by the United States Steel corporation when the latter was formed. He also was a close friend of the late Charles Lockhart, the Standard Oil magnate.

APOPLEXY TAKES OFF MATHEMATICIAN

Apoplexy, caused the death of William Simeon Smith, actuary for the John Hancock Life Insurance Company, at the Norfolk House, Roxbury. He was found dead in a bathroom. Mr. Smith, who was seventy-two years old was known the world over as one of the most capable of insurance mathematicians.

NEW WORLD CLASSIC SONG FREE—"You'll Never Miss the Water Till the Well Runs Dry." Free, words and music, with the SUNDAY AMERICAN.

Good Things to Eat.

Prices may rise and prices may fall, but whether or no, folks must eat, and since the average man feels that he never gets much advantage one way or another, he may take comfort in knowing that oysters and scallops have wheeled up their legions to ally with him in his fight on the Meat Trust.

The best cuts of beef, as usual, bear the brunt of the increase, with pork and lamb products more stable.

Cantaloupes from France, with a darker skin than our native fruit and deep golden heart, sell readily at 35 cents. There are a few early cranberries in at 20 cents the quart. Celery is coming along nicely, and is of fairly good quality.

The retail prices of the principal products follow:

Sirloin, 25@28 cents a pound; rib roast, 14@22 cents a pound; fancy brisket, 15 cents a pound; other corned beef, 10@12 cents a pound; lamb, hindquarters, 18 cents a pound, sides, 15 cents a pound, forequarters, 11 cents a pound, short chops, 35 cents a pound; ham, 16 cents a pound; bacon, 18@20 cents a pound; fresh pork, 16@18 cents a pound; corned shoulder, 12 cents a pound.

Turkeys, 25@28 cents a pound; Western broilers 22@25 cents a pound; native broilers, 28 cents a pound; native chickens (roasting), 28 cents a pound; fowl, 22 cents a pound.

Butter, best creamery, 35 cents a pound, good creamery, 30@32 cents a pound, dairy, 28 cents a pound; cheese, best, 18 cents a pound, good, 14@16 cents a pound; eggs, nearbys, 42 cents a dozen, cape, 40 cents a dozen, fresh, 35 cents a dozen, Westerns 28@32 cents a dozen, Eastern, 35 cents a dozen.

Celery 20 cents bunch, lettuce 8 cents head, radishes 5 cents bunch, turnips 5 cents quart, string beans 8 cents quart, spinach 20 cents peck, new summer squash 10 cents apiece, cauliflower 20 and 30 cents apiece, cranberries 20 cents quart, sweet potatoes 8 cents pound, new potatoes 40 cents peck, onions 8 cents quart, beets 5 cents quart, cabbage 15 cents apiece, green corn 30 cents dozen, cucumbers 10 cents apiece, tomatoes 10 cents pound, green peas $1 peck.

Cod 8 cents pound, haddock 8 cents pound, halibut 20 cents pound, bluefish 20 cents pound, smelts 35 cents pound, swordfish 25 cents pound, fresh mackerel 20 and 40 cents pound, lobsters (boiled) 30 cents pound, oysters 40 cents quart, scallops 75 cents quart.

PRIMA DONNA WHO TELLS GIRL SINGERS TO STUDY AT HOME

Marguerita Sylva

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—"American women are making a fatal mistake in trusting their daughters to the allurements, the pitfalls of a musical education in Paris.

"Thousands of sweet, guileless American girls go to Paris yearly in the hope of becoming great singers. How many of them come back with their dreams realized and their lives unstained?"

This warning was spoken to-day by Mme. Marguerite Sylva, who is to sing in "Carmen" at the Manhattan Opera House this season. She drew a dark picture of the conditions surrounding the operatic stage of Paris and highly complimented the attitude of American men and managers in contrast to those of France.

"In Paris girls are misled by the most diabolical ingenuity," said Mme. Sylva. "They have to pay a dear price for success. I have seen it with my own eyes.

"How different it is in New York. Here most men are respecters of women. A girl has a better chance to win success here than in any other city. A manager in New York employs a girl for her talent. He does not ascertain whether she would make an agreeable companion for himself."

40 ON 'WHEEL ABOUT HUB'

Forty strong, twelve on bicycles and twenty-eight in automobiles, members of the Boston Bicycle Club, the oldest club of the kind in America, started to-day from Walnut avenue and Warren street, Roxbury, on their annual "Wheel About the Hub," to last two days.

The dozen on wheels were John C. Guile, William McGinley, Henry G. Wynn, Will B. Pitman of New York, J. B. Kelley, E. P. Kelley, Joe Swan, Captain W. G. Kendall, J. Rush Green, Eliot L. Coggswell, C. C. Ryder of Boston, George L. Cook of Providence. Captain Kendall's French bull, Squantum Alphonse, which took the blue ribbon at the Waldorf-Astoria last Winter, was the mascot of the party. Three charter members of the club were present—Charles Reed, "Papa" Weston, the first man who ever rode a bicycle, and George Woodard, the first president of the club.

Among the New York notables were Henry Lee, Broadway Trust Company; M. M. Belding of Belding Bros. Silk Company, Andrew Peters of Seymour, Peters & Sanford, George B. Woodard, vice-president of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, and C. J. Bermeyer, president of the Greater New York Savings Bank.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

CLEVER OFFICER DEFINES A "DRUNK"

Judge Samuel R. Cutler of the Chelsea Municipal Court to-day commended Patrolman Patrick Gaffney of Chelsea for his honest and accurate testimony given on a drunkenness complaint against James McKeown of East Boston. Patrolman Gaffney testified that he saw McKeown take a bottle of whisky from his hip pocket, gulp some of its contents, and then withdraw the bottle, cork it up, and place it back in his pocket. Judge Cutler, after finding the man guilty, said: "The evidence given by Patrolman was so clean and complete that there could be no other decision than guilty. It was the most complete and accurate evidence I have ever heard in a case of drunkenness."

ITALIAN KING CALLS COOK.

ROME, Sept. 4.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook will be invited to deliver a lecture on the North Pole before the King and Queen of Italy.

ENGAGEMENTS OF INTEREST TO SOCIETY

By ELIZABETH ELLIOTT.

The latest really interesting topic of conversation among the younger members of the smart set is the engagement, which has just been announced, of Barbara Sheafe to Allan McKissock. Miss Sheafe is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sheafe (Harriott E. Wadsworth) of Hammond street, Chestnut Hill. Miss Sheafe is a very attractive young woman and exceedingly popular in her set. Mr. McKissock also belongs in Chestnut Hill and is the son of William McKissock, consul in Boston for the Argentine Republic.

Robert Taft and his sister, Miss Helen Taft, were among the guests at Mrs. George von L. Meyer's "tennis dance" in Hamilton last evening. The dance was a small invitation affair given by the wife of the Secretary of the Navy for her two daughters, Miss Alice Meyer and Miss Julia Meyer. Summer colonists rode over from Beverly and several other places along the shore. The guests had been requested to come in tennis costume.

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The affair of the day yesterday at Newport was the dinner dance given by Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Hoffman at Arm Sea Hall in honor of the Duke of Newcastle. The dinner was for fifty guests, among whom were the Mallon McK. Trombleys, the Arthur Curtis Jameses, Mr. and Mrs. William Woodward, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Barton Jacobs, Professor Alexander Agassiz, Egerton L. Winthrop, and the George Peabody Wetmores. Among the guests who arrived for the dance were Mr. and Mrs. Austen Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Lothrop Ames, Mr. and Mrs. Pembroke Jones, Mr. and Mrs. G. Howard Cushing, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence W. Dolan, the Misses Edith and Dorothy Kane, the Misses Maude and Edith Wetmore, Miss Blanche Oelrichs, Miss Constance Warren, Alexander S. Cochrane and Henry Richmond Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Batty of Brookline announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Annie Beatrice Batty, to Walter Houghton Freeman of Boston. Mr. Freeman was graduated from Harvard University three years ago.

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The engagement has just been announced of Miss Ethel Fottler Vose to William Warren Clark of Medford. Miss Vose is a daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth F. Vose of Dorchester. Mr. Clark is a Boston University graduate of the class of 1898. No date has been set for the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Stearns, Jr., of Boston, have arrived at Lenox. They have been spending the season in short travel trips.

Miss M. Katherine Ayer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Ayer of Commonwealth avenue, had a rather unusual celebration at Pride's yesterday. She was waked in the morning by the sound of music and was surprised to find the Beverly Cadet Band playing melodies under her window. She was given a birthday breakfast in the company of Mrs. William Woods, Miss Caroline Wheaton of San Francisco, Lieutenant F. A. Todd, G. F. Patten of the United States Army, Mrs. Ruggles of Norwich and R. G. Munroe of Lexington.

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Mrs. John Hays Hammond went to Lenox yesterday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William D. Sloane, who gave a large dinner party in the evening at Elm Court in her honor.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis I. Amory of Commonwealth avenue are planning to build a beautiful new Summer home at Chapman's Corner, Beverly Cove. Both they and their daughter, Miss M. Josephine Amory, are so fond of the North Shore that they have decided to make it their regular Summer resort.

Mrs. Morton L. Feary, who is a daughter of Bishop William Lawrence, played at the Swimming Club courts at Bar Harbor yesterday in the tennis singles with Miss Madeline Force of New York.

Miss Grace H. Sedgwick has left Lenox for a visit with Mrs. J. West Roosevelt at Oyster Bay.

A SUNDAY AMERICAN want advt. is often the road to fortune.

WOMAN OF NINETY SAVED FROM FIRE

Mrs. Ellen McCarthy, a bedridden woman of 90, was rescued from a fire in a six-tenement dwelling house at No. 29 Portsmouth street, Cambridge. The fire started by the boiling over of fat on the kitchen stove used by Mrs. Simolian. The burning fat flew upon her clothes, setting her apron and skirt on fire. She ran into the yard and stripped off her skirt, burning her hands severely. The fire spread into the front rooms. On the third floor lay Mrs. McCarthy on her sick bed. She had not stood upon her feet for five years, and it was certain that to take her out of a window would probably mean death to her. Several men went to the rescue and she was brought down the front stairs in safety.

GAS UNCHECKED, MAN ASPHYXIATED

The accidental opening of a gas cock cost the life of William E. Fitzgerald, 55 years old, of No. 9 Haley street, Roxbury. When his wife, who had been away from the house for several hours, returned she found Fitzgerald dead. Medical Examiner Magrath pronounced death due to accidental gas poisoning.

TWO HURLED FROM BED BY METEOR

NASHVILLE, Ark., Sept. 4.—An immense meteor falling a few miles out of town, caused a panic all over this section of the State. People thought the world was coming to an end, and at Hope two persons were tossed from their bed to the floor by the jar.

California Colonist Excursions

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BOILING PITCH USED ON MOROCCAN REBELS; LIMBS ARE HACKED OFF

LONDON, Sept. 4.—While Sultan Mulai Hafid, of Morocco, has bowed to the decree of the Powers that he cease torturing his foes, the remnants of the band led by El Roghi, the details of the terrible mutilation of his captives did not come fully to light until to-day. A dispatch from an eye witness was received by a London newspaper and contained the following information:

"In the morning, after prayer, all the troops paraded in the court in front of the palace and Mulai Hafid and the viziers appeared. Two hundred prisoners, half naked and tied together by the neck, were dragged before the Sultan.

"At the same time baskets full of heads and thirty-two women said to be the harem of the Pretender El Roghi, were brought in, together with several ancient and rusty cannon, the pretenders state tent, his 'imperial' umbrella, his throne—a ragged and soiled affair in crimson velvet—and some mules and Spanish cows—trophies of the war. The troops formed three sides of a square, the old gate enclosing the square. On the gate were seventy-five human heads, some black and others intensely white, all with jagged necks—a horrible sight.

"In the square seated beneath the wall where the heads were exposed, were twenty-four prisoners in chains. These were the Kaids and chief captives.

"Soldiers stood guard over these and near at hand was a great cauldron of boiling pitch round which hovered the barbers of the city.

"One by one the prisoners were released from their chains, seized by the soldiers and led to the barbers. The right hand of each prisoner was sliced off at the wrist with a razor and the stump was plunged into the molten pitch.

"All bore this terrible ordeal with marvellous fortitude. Not a cry escaped their lips. Some pushed aside the soldiers and put out their right hands without flinching.

"But for the viziers, the Sultan would have slain all the prisoners."

Y. M. C. A. HOLDS $62,800,000

The Year Book of the Young Men's Christian Association of North America, just issued, shows that the organization now includes 1,911 associations with 456,927 members—a gain of 10,500 in twelve months.

The tabulations of the membership show that about 200,000 are under twenty-one years of age; that 63,000 are officers or members of active committees; that 92,000 are students in Bible classes; and that 47,000 are enroled in the association's night schools or other educational work.

The association's property holdings are valued at $62,800,000 and the aggregate debt is only $7,100,000. The yearly expenses, provided for by membership fees and contributions, are more than $7,600,000.

BANDIT GETS OUT OF TRAP

LEWISTON, Pa., Sept. 4.—The bandit who held up and robbed the Pittsburg express of the Pennsylvania railroad in the Narrows near here on Tuesday morning has escaped from a trap in which the pursuing posses thought they had him cornered and is again working his way through the mountain fastnesses with bloodhounds on his trail.

The desperado held up and robbed Robert Little, a rich drover, in the hills back of the Narrows last night, and later robbed two women whom he encountered. A pocket in the Mifflin County hills known as "The Kettle" is believed to be the headquarters of the outlaw.

HOW TO WIN A WIFE IN HALF AN HOUR—If you are single, there's no use in your remaining so. Read the SUNDAY AMERICAN.

URGES LICENSING OF FAMILY CATS

State Ornithologist Edward Howe Forbush, in his report to the State Board of Agriculture recommends that all cats be licensed. He believes that this should be done as a protection to native birds. Furthermore, Mr. Forbush says that the spraying of trees as a gypsy moth preventive, has caused wholesale destruction of young birds.

STOLEN TAXI FOUND.

Taxicab No. 18,762, which was stolen from a corner near Park square, was found by a policeman on Woodland avenue, Brookline, in a secluded spot. The persons who rode in the machine left no trace of their identity behind. The gasolene tank had been emptied and it was necessary to tow the machine back to the city.

BOOST COAL FIFTY CENTS

The prices on all anthracites excepting pea coal are fifty cents a ton higher to-day. Pea coal costs twenty-five cents more.

The raise is made, the dealers say, to cover the gradual raise of ten cents a ton made by the wholesalers on the first of each month since April.

It was the intention of the retailers to conceal their intention to raise prices until the opening of business to-day and then to announce it to customers as they came along. The news leaked out, but not in season to allow anyone to get in a coal order in advance of the raise.

The new scale of prices is: Stove, $7.50; nut, $7.50; pea, $5.50; egg, $7.25; furnace, $6.75; Shamokin, $7.75; Franklin, $8.75.

A dispatch from Pittsburg says that all the large producers of bituminous coal in the Pittsburg district have agreed to advance the price ten per cent.

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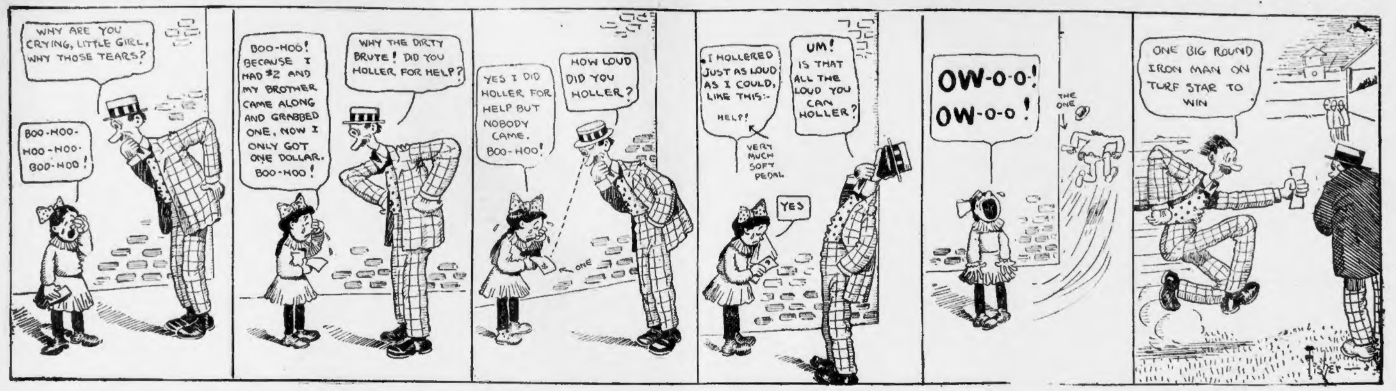
WHY ARE YOU CRYING, LITTLE GIRL, WHY THOSE TEARS?
BOO-HOO-HOO-HOO-BOO-HOO!
BOO-HOO! BECAUSE I HAD $2 AND MY BROTHER CAME ALONG AND GRABBED ONE. NOW I ONLY GOT ONE DOLLAR. BOO-HOO!
WHY THE DIRTY BRUTE! DID YOU HOLLER FOR HELP?
YES I DID HOLLER FOR HELP BUT NOBODY CAME. BOO-HOO!
HOW LOUD DID YOU HOLLER?
ONE
I HOLLERED JUST AS LOUD AS I COULD, LIKE THIS:- HELP!
VERY MUCH SOFT PEDAL
UM! IS THAT ALL THE LOUD YOU CAN HOLLER?
YES
OW-O-O! OW-O-O!
THE ONE
ONE BIG ROUND IRON MAN ON TURF STAR TO WIN
FISHER

WILL PIRATES WIN FLAG? 'DON'T KNOW,' SAYS CAPT.

Fans, who want to get a line on the National League pennant winner this season should be warned against going to Fred Clarke, the peppery manager and left fielder of the Pirates, for information, because Freddie has no inside info to give out on the subject. Fred is a nice fellow, but he is playing the "I don't know" game. Nobody wins or loses in this game, so Freddie and a reporter had a half-hour draw in front of the hotel. Pirate Clarke chewed on a toothpick during and between bouts.

"I Don't Know."

"What chance have the Pirates to cop the pennant?" was the first shot hurled at him.

"I don't know," gently replied Mr. Clarke.

"Do you really think the Pirates have a chance?"

"I don't know," gently replied Mr. Clarke.

"Do you think the Giants have a chance?"

"I don't know," gently replied Mr. Clarke.

"Well, do you think the Cubs have a little chance?"

"I don't know," gently replied Mr. Clarke.

"Do you think the Pirates will continue their present clip?"

"I don't know," gently replied Mr. Clarke.

Fred's toothpick then dropped to the sidewalk; the Pirate's chief began to talk, and when he did articulate he smote the nail on the head.

He Loosens Up.

"It's like this. No manager can win a pennant by picking a team, and no writer can pick a winner when a baseball title is at stake. Pennants are not won by managerial hot air or by newspapers. Championships are won on the grass. Catch on?

"I have been in baseball too many years to get into the boasting profession," added Mr. Clarke. "The game is too uncertain to issue predictions, especially at this stage. Meet me two days before the fight is over, and maybe I can give you a tip. However, I think the Pirates have an excellent chance the way matters stand to-day, but I don't discount the Cubs and Giants.

"Pittsburg has eight more games to play with the Cubs, and I really think the championship hinges on the results in those contests. The Pirates are playing a grand article of ball. We always try to win, but if we lose there is no kick coming from me, for I know the boys are doing their prettiest. So there you are. If we win, it's O. K., and if we lose, it's O. K."

Daffy on Wagner.

The gentle Mr. Clarke, however, waxed enthusiastic when asked for his opinion of the great Honus Wagner. This was Sir Fred's tribute to the Pirate's star shortstop and prize horsehide smasher:

"I consider Wagner the greatest ball-player who ever stepped to the plate. I have been playing in big league company for nearly a score of years. I have seen stars come and go, but Honus is the fanciest that ever came down the pike. You can safely say he is in a class all by himself."

"How do you compare him with Ty Cobb?"

Fred is just as honest as the late G. Washington, ex-President and revolutionary war hero, according to his answer. He did not try to discount the wonderful Tyrus, but he put it in these words:

"I could not make a comparison, for I never saw Cobb play, but from what I hear and read he is a Goliath in the American League army."

CHARLIE WHITE WILL BE REFEREE

Charlie White, the well known New York referee, will handle the boxing at the Gladstone A. C. in Lowell next Monday night, when Kid Goodman meets Young Donohue of Roxbury in that city.

White will attend the automobile carnival, which is a big event in Lowell's history. As a side issue the Gladstone Club decided to stage Goodman and Donohue on account of the pressure brought to bear on it by many of the members who are affiliated with automobile clubs.

Goodman and Donohue are both in perfect condition for the match and both have agreed to be in Lowell Sunday. They will finish their training there.

KID CARTER GAVE JOHNSON A START

Kid Carter, the famous Brooklyn middle-weight, died at North Brothers Island Wednesday. Carter was the one man who gave Jack Johnson his start in the ring. The Kid tried to thrash the big colored fellow one day in the gym, but instead was licked himself. Those who saw the affair boosted Johnson's stock then, and he was matched to fight George Gardner. What he did to Gardner was a shame.

Carter himself was a terrific hitter, and had a great rep. He fought such men as Jack O'Brien, Joe Walcott, Kid McCoy, Jack Root and other topnotchers.

Your Wife Knows All!

"The Diary of a Faithless Husband"

Will be concluded in the Sunday American. It is a startling conclusion too. It is a very remarkable ending that Ella Wheeler Wilcox has given this strange confession.

BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN
Seventh Day Wonder of New England

Standing of the Clubs in Six Leagues

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Detroit	79	43	.648	Cleveland	63	62	.504
Phila'a	75	48	.610	New York	55	67	.451
BOSTON	73	52	.584	St. Louis	51	70	.421
Chicago	63	60	.512	Washington	33	90	.268

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

New York at Boston.
Philadelphia at Washington.
St. Louis at Chicago.
Detroit at Cleveland (two games).

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

		R.	H.	E.
Detroit	0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0	1	6	2
Cleveland	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	1	8	6

Batteries—Summers, Donovan, Stanage; Joss, Clarke; called, darkness.

		R.	H.	E.
Athletics	0 0 0 3 2 0 3 0 2	10	10	1
Washington	0 0 0 0 2 0 1 0 0	3	8	3

Batteries—Plank and Thomas; Gray, Oberlin and Street.

		R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	0 0 0 0 1 0 2 0 0	3	8	2
Chicago	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 x	4	6	0

Batteries—Pelty and Criger; Walsh and Sullivan.

CONN. LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Hartford	69	41	.627	Springfield	56	59	.487
Holyoke	65	48	.575	New Haven	53	62	.461
N. Britain	60	52	.536	Northampton	51	63	.447
Waterbury	60	54	.526	Bridgeport	41	75	.353

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Northampton at Bridgeport.
Springfield at New Haven.
Waterbury at New Britain.
Hartford at Holyoke.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

At Bridgeport—Springfield, 2; Bridgeport, 1 (first game); Bridgeport, 3; Springfield, 2 (second game).

At Waterbury—Holyoke, 9; Waterbury, 0 (forfeited).

At Hartford—Hartford, 4; New Haven, 1.

At New Britain—New Britain, 4; Northampton, 2.

A Want Advt. is often the road to fortune.

SONDERS TO RACE MONDAY

There will be no Sonder races today, but the international yachting strife between the German and Yankee boats at Marblehead will be continued on Monday. The Joyette won yesterday, making its second win. The Ellen has one win to her credit and the Hevella is the only German boat to hold a similar honor. These three boats will race Monday for the President Taft cup. If either the Hevella or Ellen wins Monday, another and deciding race will be sailed between the winner and the Joyette on Tuesday; but if the Joyette should take the race Monday the match will be ended and the possession of the trophy will go to the New York boat.

Yesterday's race ended the contest for the Gov. Draper cup, which is awarded to the boat scoring the most points in the first four races sailed. The Ellen and Joyette are tied with seventeen points each.

BASEBALL RESULTS IN OTHER LEAGUES

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

At Chattanooga—Macon 3, Chattanooga 1.
At Columbus—Columbus 11, Columbia 1.
At Knoxville—First game, Augusta 3, Knoxville 6; second game, Augusta 3, Knoxville 0.
At Savannah—Savannah 4, Jacksonville 0.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

At Memphis—Memphis 12, Birmingham 3.
At Mobile—Nashville 9, Mobile 3.
At Little Rock—Little Rock 4, Atlanta 2.

CATCHER WANTS JOB.

Any semi-professional team desiring a good catcher for Labor Day can secure one by addressing S. Nebell, No. 2 Waterford street, Boston.

MIKE TWIN ON JOY RIDE.

Mike (Twin) Sullivan has taken a little automobile trip to Rhode Island with some friends from the navy. Mike is very anxious to hear from Quill, Gardner or Willie Lewis.

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HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Pittsburg	87	33	.725	Phila'a	58	65	.472
Chicago	81	39	.675	St. Louis	46	74	.383
New York	71	47	.602	Brooklyn	42	78	.350
Cincinnati	63	58	.521	BOSTON	33	87	.275

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Boston at New York.
Brooklyn at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Pittsburg.
Chicago at Cincinnati.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

FIRST GAME.

		R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	0 0 0 1 0 2 0 0 0	3	8	0
Phillies	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	2	3

Batteries—Fromme and Roth; McQuillen, Foxen and Martell.

SECOND GAME.

		R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	0 2 0 1 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0	5	12	3
Phillies	2 0 0 0 0 2 1 0 0 0 0 1	6	11	2

Batteries—Dubuc, Cantwell, Ewing and Roth; Covaleski and Dooin.

		R.	H.	E.
Chicago	1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 8	10	9	3
Brooklyn	1 0 2 0 1 0 0 0 0	4	8	2

Batteries—Pfeister, Higginbotham, Archer; McIntyre, Bergen.

		R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	2 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0	4	11	1
New York	0 0 4 1 0 0 1 1 x	7	10	3

Batteries—Harmon and Phelps; Ames and Schlei.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Rochester	75	52	.590	Buffalo	62	66	.484
Newark	69	55	.557	Montreal	57	70	.449
Providence	67	57	.540	Jersey City	54	71	.432
Toronto	65	61	.516	Baltimore	54	71	.432

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Newark at Montreal.
Jersey City at Buffalo.
Baltimore at Toronto.
Providence at Rochester.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

At Rochester—Rochester, 4; Providence 1 (first game); Rochester, 5; Providence, 4 (second game).

At Montreal—Montreal, 4; Newark, 3.

At Buffalo—Buffalo, 7; Jersey City, 6.

At Toronto—Baltimore, 2; Toronto, 1.

WOLGAST HERE FOR BIG BOUT

Ad Wolgast, the little Milwaukee fighter, is here to finish his training for his bout with Matty Baldwin at the Armory A. A. Tuesday night, coming direct from Pittsburg, where he boxed the other night.

He expressed surprise at the reports published here about his recent bout with Tommy Murphy in Pittsburg.

"Referee Dime told me after the bout," said Wolgast, "that the bout was a good draw.

"If there is anyone who thinks Murphy can defeat me I will be ready to talk business with him after I have finished with Baldwin. I will bet them all the money they want, and any place they name will suit me for the meeting. The short-distance bout is not my suit. I prefer to have twelve or fifteen rounds or to a finish. In a six-round contest one hardly gets started unless he is accustomed to box in them."

BATTING AVERAGES OF BOSTON BALL PLAYERS

AMERICAN.

	ab.	r.	1b.	2b.	3b.	hr.	av.
Gessler	368	54	113	23	1	0	.307
Lord	451	64	129	22	6	0	.286
Carrigan	228	20	67	11	2	0	.294
Speaker	443	60	127	20	12	4	.287
Stahl	360	47	101	11	7	5	.280
Gardner	29	3	8	1	2	0	.276
Wagner	415	50	107	16	6	1	.258
Hooper	216	25	55	1	4	0	.255
Pape	9	0	2	0	0	0	.222
McConnell	354	32	84	6	7	0	.237
Wolter	109	9	26	2	4	1	.239
Niles	443	53	102	11	4	2	.230
French	94	4	21	3	0	0	.223
Donahue	127	8	27	3	1	1	.212
Cicotte	39	5	8	0	0	0	.205
Hall	10	0	2	0	0	0	.200
Karger	15	0	3	0	0	0	.200
Thoney	40	2	7	1	0	0	.175
Arellanes	75	5	13	0	0	0	.173
Wood	43	3	7	0	0	0	.163
Madden	13	0	2	0	1	0	.153
Schlitzer	27	1	4	0	0	0	.148
Collins	14	1	2	0	0	0	.143
Mathew	3	0	0	0	0	0	.000

NATIONALS.

	AB.	R.	BH.	2B.	3B.	HR.	AV.
[illegible]	2	1	1	0	0	0	.500
Thomas	188	22	52	5	1	0	.277
Beaumont	363	36	103	14	5	1	.284
[illegible]	141	17	36	2	2	1	.255
[illegible]	11	2	2	0	0	0	.182
Graham	212	23	52	4	3	0	.245
Becker	453	50	107	11	6	4	.236
Sweeney	405	37	95	15	2	1	.235
Dahlen	183	22	46	6	2	2	.251
[illegible]	19	2	6	0	0	0	.316
[illegible]	88	9	19	3	1	0	.216
Ferguson	68	2	15	1	0	0	.221
Coffey	232	21	48	3	3	1	.207
Beck	247	15	46	3	4	1	.186
Smith	90	8	15	3	1	0	.167
White	50	3	8	0	1	0	.160
Mattern	75	4	11	0	0	0	.147
[illegible]	23	1	3	0	0	0	.130
Brown	24	1	3	0	0	0	.125
More	16	0	1	0	0	0	.063
Richie	22	0	2	0	0	0	.090
Shaw	26	0	2	1	0	0	.077
Rairden	5	0	0	0	0	0	.000

More AMERICANS are read in the homes in Boston than any other paper.

N. E. LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Brockton	71	44	.617	Haverhill	61	56	.521
Worcester	71	46	.607	N. Bedford	48	68	.414
Lynn	69	48	.590	Lowell	41	75	.353
Fall River	67	50	.573	Lawrence	38	79	.325

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Lawrence at Worcester.
Lynn at Brockton.
Fall River at Haverhill.
New Bedford at Lowell.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

FIRST GAME.

		R.	H.	E.
New Bedford	0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0	1	5	2
Lynn	0 1 0 1 0 2 0 0 x	4	3	2

Batteries—Armstrong and Ulrich; Conway and Daum.

SECOND GAME.

		R.	H.	E.
New Bedford	0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	5	1
Lynn	0 0 0 0 2 0 x	2	4	2

Batteries—O'Connor and Ulrich; Hoff and Weeden.

		R.	H.	E.
Brockton	0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0	1	3	4
Worcester	3 0 0 0 1 0 0 3 x	7	10	2

Batteries—Goetel and Waters; Sline and McCune.

		R.	H.	E.
Fall River	0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1	2	8	7
Haverhill	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 1	3	9	3

Batteries—Fullerton and Lemieux; Lessard and Toomey.

		R.	H.	E.
Lowell	2 1 1 1 0 0 1 0 1	7	12	3
Lawrence	0 0 0 2 1 0 0 3 0	6	10	4

Batteries—Tyler and Boyle; Rogers and Foster.

AMERICAN ASS'N.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Milwaukee	79	59	.572	Columbus	65	73	.471
Minneapolis	76	62	.551	Indianapolis	66	74	.471
Louisville	72	65	.525	Toledo	65	74	.467
St. Paul	65	71	.478	Kansas City	63	73	.463

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

Indianapolis, 6; Toledo, 0.
Milwaukee, 8; Kansas City, 0.
Columbus-Louisville (rain).

MONTREAL ENTRIES.

MONTREAL RACE TRACK, Sept. 4.—Following are the entries for Monday's races:

FIRST RACE—Two-year-olds, five furlongs—Deinaff, 103; Herpes, 103; Belle Kingston, 103; Mernato, 107; Megantic, 113; xPaul Davis, 113; xBanines, 113.

SECOND RACE—Selling, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs—xOccidental, 93; xSelaik, 96; Pills, 98; Lady Orimar, 98; Aphrodite, 99; xPaul Rainart, 99; Fulford, 100; xGlossfact, 101; xGrande Dame, 101; Glorioso, 102; Woodlane, 104; C. W. Bate, 104; Snowball, 106; Throckmorton, 107; xRight Easy, 107; Mazuma, 110.

THIRD RACE—Handicap, three-year-olds and up, one mile—Martin Doyle, 101; Guy Fisher, 102; Terrah, 108; Greenseal, 113; Stanley Fay, 125; Prince Ahmed, 126.

FOURTH RACE—Maiden two-year-olds, five and one-half furlongs—Tommie Wood, 102; Lorimar, 105; Don Diaz, 105; Setembra, 108; xxAl Herford, 108; xxSpring Steel, 109; Polly Lee, 109; Hickory Stick, 109; G. M. Miller, 109; Aylmer, 109; Starover, 109; Detroit, 112.

FIFTH RACE—Steeplechase, purse, four-year-olds and upwards, two miles—Dacey, 138; J. G. C., 141; Merry Maker, 141; Reginald, 142; Beaugalopo, 142; Barrington, 142; Impertinence, 150.

SIXTH RACE—Selling, three-year-olds and up, one mile and a furlong—Jeannette M., 99; xxKeep Moving, 102; xxEdwin Gum, 105; Joe Rose, 107; Vanen, 107; Ontario, 107; Stalwood, 110.

xApprentice allowance. xxcoupled.

JOINS KANSAS CITY A. C.

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 4.—Jack Garrels, one of the greatest athletes and football players ever turned out at the University of Michigan, has joined the Kansas City Athletic Club, of which "Doc" Reilly of Boston is athletic director. Garrels is at present engaged in the cement business at Iola, Kan., and spends much of his time in this city. He will play an end on the K. C. football team, and will also be a member of the track squad.

MANY SWIMMERS ENTER.

Entries are registering fast for the long-distance swim to be held Monday afternoon from Beachmont to the Point of Pines, under the auspices of the Brookline Swimming Club. A big field of the best men in New England will compete. Three handsome cups will be offered. Entries close tonight with Leo Johnson, Brookline Swimming Club, Brookline.

SPORTS AT NORWOOD.

The open handicap games of the Norwood Press Club, to be held at Norwood, Labor Day, have drawn a large field of entries of the best class among local amateurs. The games will be started at 2 p. m. During the afternoon there will be a ball game between the Norwood Press team and the Malden Athletics.

LEMOINE TO BOX IN N. Y.

WEBSTER, Mass., Sept. 4.—Maurice Lemoine, "the Webster idol," left Webster this morning for New York, where he will train prior to his bout with Abe the newsboy. Lemoine will spar with Tommy Murphy in New York. "Smoke," as he is familiarly known, is rated as one of the fastest in New England.

FOR K. OF C. CHAMP.

The ball fans in Concord and Medford are excited over the game to-day at Broadway Field, Somerville, to settle the championship of Division A in the Knights of Columbus league, both teams being tied for first place.

KETCHEL IN NEW YORK TO BOX LANGFORD

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—Stanley Ketchel has arrived in New York. He will go to Woodlawn Inn to prepare for Langford. Billy Gibson has asked that the date be set back to September 17.

Evidently Jimmy Coffroth has been receiving a lot of abuse that wasn't coming to him, when the Easterners thought that he had kidnapped the Langford-Ketchel match. James writes the following breezy letter:

"San Francisco, Aug. 27, 1909.

"Well, New York opinion seems divided over the result of the Ketchel-Langford match. As a promoter of fights, I rarely express an opinion, but I think it will be a great show. Have been much amused at the stories coming out of the East that I have been holding Britt and Ketchel back and endeavoring to prevail on Willie not to go. I never attempted such a thing. And I will tell you why. Ketch is matched with Johnson for October 12. After his quick defeat of O'Brien in three rounds, we were assured of a forty or fifty thousand dollar house.

"Then came the Papke fight and Ketchel's indifferent showing. They expected him to knock the German out in a round or two, as he claimed he would. Not doing so, they say he went back. Besides he was not in condition, but publics do not allow for that. In consequence of the Papke fight, the Johnson-Ketchel battle has dropped back into the $20,000 class. If Ketch can beat Langford, the Johnson match rises to $50,000; if he stands him off in fairly good style, $40,000; if he sticks it out, but takes the worst of it, $30,000; if he is knocked out we will still get the original $20,000 that he would have drawn if he had not gone East. So, you see, I am more than willing for the Langford match to be on.

"Kaufman and O'Brien both agreed to go twenty-five rounds, were to meet next day and sign articles, but Johnson showed up a few minutes before and offered to take on Kaufman at the price I'd offer him. Kaufman agreed, providing there was no decision Johnson asked for ten rounds on account of the short time at his disposal—fifteen days—in which to train. Al was afraid that ten rounds would show him surely as outpointed. Then he dropped O'Brien. I was sorry, as I know I would pack them for a twenty-five-round bout between the professor and Kaufman.

"Frayne bested Hyland the other evening and is in some demand around here in consequence. Many of the clubs want him to box Lew Powell, but he seems to want to go to your big city.

"Leach Cross cannot be made to like San Francisco. When Leach arrived he thought it the best place on earth; going to buy a home here, get married and settle. But when poor, slow, Dick Hyland copped him on the chin in the forty-first Leach thought of our earthquakes. Say, we haven't had one for a couple of years. I'm in the sixth floor of a tall office building and want to see how they feel in a steel structure."

FOWLER FOURTH IN 20-MILE RACE

WATERVILLE, Me., Sept. 4.—James W. O'Mara of Yonkers, N. Y., running for the Cambridgeport gymnasium, won the Marathon at the Central Maine fair, running the twenty miles in 2h. 9m. 10s., and finishing a mile and a half ahead of George Thomas of Mendon, Mass., who was second. William Wiesman of the South Boston Athletic Club was third. Robert A. Fowler of the Cambridge gymnasium fourth, Ralph Raymond of Beverly, Mass., fifth, Robert S. Cutting of Roxbury, Mass., sixth, and John Cullen of Narragansett Pier, R. I., seventh. William Rozette of the Pastime Athletic Association, New York, Sammie Mellor of the Mercury Athletic Club, Yonkers, N. Y., and Robert J. Hindle of the Geneva Athletic Association, Dorchester, Mass., did not finish.

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CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—Giovanni Raicevich, a giant Italian wrestler of Genoa, weighing 250 and looking more like a fighter than anything else, is to be given his first tryout in Chicago Monday night at Forest Park. It will be only an exhibition and some strong local man probably will be selected to go against him. A countryman, E. J. Ruggiero, is with him and will help him to get himself into condition.

The day before they arrived here a big Frenchman, Jourdan D'Uzes, landed here, he being also under contract to show this season under the auspices of the Empire Athletic Club in exhibitions and contests in Chicago and the Middle West. Of course the ultimate aim of all of these foreigners is a crack at Frank Gotch, world's champion. Raicevich is, perhaps, the most modest of the trio of foreign stars now here, but believes that he will do better than Hackenschmidt and Mahmout against the famous Iowan.

TRAGEDY OF THE CASTAWAYS—Read in the SUNDAY AMERICAN what happens to the mariner when shipping directions fail.

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The Manicure Lady

She Dopes It Out That Every Wife Manages Her Husband

"I THINK women is crueller than men," said the Manicure Lady.

"I think so, too," declared the Head Barber.

"There is some women down to the house," the Manicure Lady asserted, "that never give their husbands a minute's rest. The husbands seem like mighty nice fellows, too. They never talk back, they never stay out late the way father does sometimes, and they never seem cheap about coughing up for new dresses and the like of that. But they get it, hammer and tongs.

"There is a dear old scout down to the hotel where we are stopping, George. He has the finest brown eyes you ever saw and the dearest complexion. He is prematurely gray, of course, like all gents which has spent the better part of their lives floating around Broadway, but he treats his wife like a queen on a throne, and she treats him awful.

"His name is Mister Hartman, and every time Mister Hartman blows in from the city, all shaved up and ready for dinner, his wife says, 'Oh, I wonder why you dolled yourself up. Let me look at your nails.' You know, George, every time his nails is freshly did she says, 'Oh, indeed, and who is your manicure lady friend?'

"I never butt in on anybody's marriage affairs, but I have often took a notion to speak to Missus Hartman about the way she nags her hubby. You know, George, a woman makes an awful mistake when she begins putting too much bitter in with her sweet.

"When I get married I am going to be the dearest thing to my husband that you ever saw. I can't understand why women will persist in doing things that makes their husbands grouchy on payday."

The One Quiet Wife

"Some husbands wouldn't stand for it at all," said the Head Barber.

"Most of them does, though," asserted the Manicure Lady. "Us girls knows that, well enough. There are twenty married women at our house and nineteen of them are all the time slamming their husbands. The twentieth is gray-headed, and is trying so hard to hold her husband's love that she doesn't dare to talk back, and besides, she is hard of hearing and hates to give him any percentage. She might not catch his answers to her cruel questions."

"I don't suppose you think you are pulling anything new about the marriage situation," said the Head Barber.

"No, indeed. I know as well as you do, George, that married folks is failures now and then, if they live in hotels. The women hasn't anything to do, and the husbands can't do enough to keep both ends meeting.

"This old gent Hartman has done so much for his wife that she ought to be ashamed to be panning him all the time. She has six solitaires on one hand, and a couple of circlets on the other. She has five or six of the swellest dresses that you ever clapped eyes on, and a real Irish lace gown and six picture hats. And just think, George, she has furs enough for the long Winter to make the wolf fall dead in front of the door.

George Gets Called

"And all the time she is there with the chiding stuff. She is one of them married women that calls their husbands by the last name. It's 'Hartman, you are a wretch,' and 'Hartman you aren't good enough for me,' and 'Hartman, all my friends gave me a tip before I married you, a tip that I wish I had took.'"

"It's his own fault if he stands for it," said the Head Barber. "I would show my wife such a burst of speed if she ever nagged at me that she wouldn't repeat."

"'George!'"

This came from a tall, angular woman in the doorway.

"Where were you last night?"

"I was kept down town to arrange a business deal," explained the Head Barber, whose face was as red as a rooster's comb.

"You couldn't tell the truth if you had been brought up with George Washington," said the lady in the door. "If you don't drop that razor and come home with me now, I will leave you as sure as I am your wife."

"Men is all alike," said the Manicure Lady, after the Head Barber had followed his angry spouse. "Us girls has their numbers."

I'M GETTING TIRED OF THIS MIXTURE!
NAGGING
HAPPINESS
HS

"A woman makes an awful mistake when she begins putting in too much bitter with the sweet"

Before and After---By Beatrice Fairfax

She was natural and unaffected at first, but thought she could improve upon the way nature made her

WHEN I first saw her, she was a wholesome-looking, brown-haired girl, simply but nicely dressed, and her waist was of a good size and as flexible as well-tempered steel. She had lived in the country, and could romp and run like a boy.

When first I saw her, she had lived two years in the city. She was earning her own living, and had reached the proud stage of "keeping company."

"It was more than "keeping company"; she was really engaged, and had been before she left the country.

The young man had come from the same part of the country as she did, but had lived some years in the city.

I had known them both for years, and one Sunday last Spring I met them in the park.

I wish you could have seen the simple little maid from the country!

"Why, Katie!" I gasped, helplessly, as she came eagerly forward to shake hands. "I hardly know you; you've grown so stylish," I finished lamely.

"Yes, haven't I?" she answered gaily. "You see, I was such a country guy I had to smarten myself up so that Sam would not be ashamed of me."

I glanced at Sam, and if ever I read distress in a man's eyes it was in his.

Katie, to begin with, had bleached her hair. The locks, once brown, were now almost tow colored and spread out in a tousled pompadour.

The waist, which had once been so well proportioned and free, was now squeezed into half its natural size, and her feet were encased in patent leather ties with heels two inches high.

Many Foolish Little Katies

"Katie," I said, "do you like having your waist so tight and wearing those stilts?"

"Not very much," she confessed, "but all the girls do and I guess Sam likes it."

"I don't believe he does," I ventured boldly, "do you, Sam?"

"I hate it," he answered honestly. "Any fellow would, but I did not like to say anything. Of course, a man hates to see his girl with her hair all doctored up and paint on her face and those fool shoes and corset things."

Katie was one flush of amazed dismay. "Why," she gasped, "I only did it to make myself look stylish and pretty."

Sam and I consoled her by telling her that her hair would soon resume its natural shade if she let it alone, and I think she was only too glad to promise to leave off the tight corset and high heels.

There are dozens of little foolish girls, just like Katie, who are so anxious to be stylish that they spoil their looks entirely.

And it's usually with the idea of pleasing some man, isn't it, dear?

Let me tell you one thing, and that is, that all men admire the wholesome, natural girl, far more than the artificial one.

Men are not such keen admirers of the small waist as you suppose. They admire the girl who can touch the floor with her finger tips without bending at the knees. And a tight corset will never allow you to do that!

Nature is a better judge of coloring than you are, my dear, and if you have brown hair, you may be sure that it is the color that goes best with your eyes and complexion.

Don't make yourself look unnatural, even to please the man you love. If he really loves you he will love you as you are; not all bleached and painted.

And remember that the girl who looks very pretty and sweet, when simply and tastefully dressed, often looks ridiculous when she tries to be what she considers stylish.

Percy the Press Agent

He Discusses Old Jokes and Some New Ones

By HANK.

"LOOKS like rain," said Joe, the waiter, as he set a cup of hot coffee before Percy.

"Tastes like it," replied Percy, as he took a sip of the steaming beverage.

Joe's look of disgust was only equalled by the scornful glance cast in Percy's direction by the Show Girl.

"Well, of all the stale jokes I ever heard," she finally said, "that is about the worst. Did you think to get away with it?"

"I took a chance," replied Percy, outwardly unruffled. "I heard it the other day, and it was new to me. I don't pretend to be up on all the latest humor and I confess that there are some who are more up-to-date than I am. At any rate, there are some who think they are."

"I suppose that is meant for a knock in my direction," said the Show Girl. "Well, I don't pretend to know all the latest jokes, but when I spring one I take good care that it is of the youthful variety, and not old enough to be carrying around ten years' growth of whiskers like the one you tried to hand out to Joe."

"Well," said Percy doubtingly, "let's hear one of the latest. Do you know any?"

"I heard one the other day," replied the Show Girl, "that sounded new to me about an old lady who thought she was very wise gettin' on a North Station car. She wanted to go to Somerville. She fished out a dollar bill and handed it to the conductor, telling him she wanted to go to Somerville.

"'Change at North Station,' he told her still holding the dollar bill. 'No, you don't,' shouted the old lady, 'I want my change now. I heard tell as how the folks in North Station never give no change.'"

In the Old Jokes' Home

"Fair," said Percy, "pretty fair. It was a good joke when I first heard it, but it's been occupying a place in the Old Jokes Home for at least five years."

"Ah, you're sore because of the callin' down you got," said the Show Girl, "you jealous guys make me tired."

"Not jealous, my own," said Percy, "just truthful. You know they say truth hurts."

"Not half as much as your bum jokes," snapped the Show Girl.

"Maybe you heard the story about Pillsbury, the late chess expert?" queried Percy. "No? Well, he was riding on an English railway train practising moves with a pocket game of chess that he held on his lap. An inquisitive Cockney sitting on the seat opposite him leaned over and touched him on the knee.

"'I beg yer parding, sir,' said the cockney, 'but wot is that goime yer a playin' of?'

"'Chess,' answered Pillsbury abruptly, not liking to be disturbed.

"A little further on the Cockney, his curiosity overcoming him again, interrupted with the query, 'I beg yer parding, sir, but who is yer opponent?'

"'I'm my own opponent,' snapped Pillsbury, 'now, please shut up.'

"The Cockney subsided, but there was wrath in his glance, and as the train stopped and he got out he leaned in the car window and touched Pillsbury on the shoulder again. 'I sincerely beg yer parding for disturbin' yer agen, sir,' he said, 'but I wants to say as 'ow I 'opes yer gives yer opponent the licking he deserves.'"

The Worst of All

The Show Girl's comment on this effort of Percy's was cut short by the look of horror on her companion's face as he gazed at Joe coming toward him with his thumb sticking in Percy's plate of soup.

"Joe!" exclaimed Percy. "Your thumb! It's in my soup!"

"That's all right," said Joe, smiling, "it aint very hot."

"Ha! ha! ha!" laughed the Show Girl, "that's where Joe got even with you. Now will you be good?"

"Yes, I suppose so," sighed Percy; "but, chee! that was the worst joke of the bunch."

TAKE 'EM AWAY JOE. THEY'RE ALL STALE
I USED TO MAKE A HIT BACK IN '49, BY HECK
JOKES
H.

"Jokes that were young with Noah were forced into service again"

THE PHANTOM AUTO—Every lover of the whirring motor car should read this wonderful story in the literary supplement to next Sunday's BOSTON AMERICAN.

Advice to the Lovelorn

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX.

SHOULD MAKE UP HIS MIND

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am a young lady and am deeply in love with a young man older than myself. He is not a good-looking young man and I don't know what it is that makes me care for him so. I have known him for a good many years and am so attached to him that when I see him it is just like seeing a brother.

He shows a great deal of respect for me, both in company of friends and myself.

What I want to know is, how can I find out if he cares for me, and what his intentions are. He has given me lots of encouragement, but never told me that he loves me. He does not take out any other young ladies. He never takes me out. If he meets me anywhere he always stays with me.

In all the years that I have known him he has always encouraged me, and for that alone it makes me feel so miserable.

Dear Miss Fairfax, kindly advise me what to do and whether he is jollying me, as he always speaks very seriously, and also how I should act toward him.
J. B.

IF he is in love with you he certainly ought to say something definite after all these years. He may be the kind of man who dawdles along after a girl, taking all her time and having no serious intentions. If I were you I would encourage the attentions of other men and perhaps this man would come to his senses. Do not set your heart too strongly upon him, for he may look upon you as simply a very dear friend.

VERY BAD FORM INDEED

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

On my way to work every morning I meet a young man, with whom I have deeply fallen in love. I know by the way he acts toward me that I am not a matter of indifference to him. What I wish to know is this: We have never been properly introduced. Would it be very "bad form" were I to ask this young man to call and see me at my office? I love him dearly and think he could learn to love me.
M. J.

YES, it would be very bad form indeed, and very bold as well. You could not be deeply in love with a man whom you have never met. Be a sensible girl, my dear, and put such nonsense out of your head. Also, remember that no man has a very high opinion of the girl who makes eyes at him in the street.

SOME FANCIED OFFENCE

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I have been keeping company with a young lady for nearly a year, and during that time she has met all my advances favorably. Now, without any explanation, she has flatly refused to see me. I love this girl very much, and I look to you, who have led others out of the wilderness, to help me in this trouble.
D. L.

IN all probability she has taken offence at at some fancied slight. Write and ask her if she will not at least see you in order to talk things over.

Solution of Hudson-Fulton Puzzle

THE Schoolmaster's Hudson-Fulton problem, wherein it was required to arrange the figures 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-0 in a sum to produce the total—1609—has been mastered by only the brightest members of the Puzzle Class, for it proved to be a knotty proposition and required considerable patience and ingenuity in the working out.

By employing fractions the ten figures can be grouped to produce the desired total, as follows:

1608 plus the fraction 2-7 plus 35-49 equals 1609.

The one hundred prize puzzle books for best answers are awarded to the following solvers:

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The Greatest Detective in the World

The Story of the Play, "Arsene Lupin," Now Being Presented by Charles Frohman in New York

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CHAPTER IV.—Continued

UNDER the ministrations of Germaine and Sonia, the old gentleman recovered his breath, but not his sprang upon the astonished Firmin, catching him by the shoulders and wrestling with him frantically, while he shouted in his ears. composure. He leaped from his chair and

"You idiot! Where did you get that letter? Tell me at once! Where did it come from? Who left it? Why didn't you detain him?"

The onslaught so terrified the gatekeeper that it was some time before he could answer. He managed finally to stammer:

"Why it was left at the gate, Monsieur. It was in the letter box. My wife took it out just now and gave it to me to bring in to you."

"Oh, what shall we do; what shall we do?" the old man wailed. "My beautiful pictures! My furniture! My tiara!"

"What is the matter, papa?" cried Germaine, who had not yet fathomed the cause of her father's strange distemper.

"That letter!" he cried. "It is from Arsene Lupin. Oh, the villain, the dog, the scoundrel. He is going to rob me again."

"Come, Monsieur," the Duke urged, "there is yet time. This letter is dated today. It says that the robbery will take place to-morrow morning. Telephone to the police."

"Yes, yes, I will telephone," the old gentleman said, hurrying to the telephone on Sonia's writing desk. But Germaine interrupted him:

"You can't telephone; it is Sunday, and the telephone station closes at 4 o'clock on Sunday."

Despairingly, with his hands raised in resignation, he turned from the telephone, but gained new hope when Germaine suggested the telegraph. Sonia quickly dispelled this hope.

"You can't telegraph on Sunday after 12 o'clock," she said.

Monsieur Gournay-Martin almost fell into his chair again and groaned aloud.

The Duke's Plan.

"Well, there is still a chance," the Duke said. "There are the motors. I will take one of them, go to Paris, notify the police and be on guard."

"Yes, yes, Jacques; thank you," he cried, springing up and pressing the Duke's hand. "Go, by all means. We will all go," he added as an after-thought. "Get ready! Pack! All of you!" he shouted to Germaine and Sonia. "We are going to Paris in the motor with Jacques."

"We've no time to lose," he stormed. "Go at once, I tell you. Firmin, call Jean."

Jean, the chauffeur, a slim, athletic youth, in plum colored livery, entered and stood respectfully by the door.

"Jean, get the roadster ready at once," his master ordered.

The boy saluted and withdrew. Urging the Duke to hurry, Monsieur Gournay-Martin went to his own room to throw a few things into his traveling bag, and the Duke also left to get ready.

The Charolais Again.

Then strange things began to happen in the drawing room. The double doors leading onto the porch were opened stealthily and Charolais, his footfall as soft as a cat's crept in, his eyes warily flashing from corner to make certain that no one was there. After him came Hippolyte, as light on his feet as an acrobat, and behind these two were Jean, the chauffeur.

"They are going to Paris," Jean said, scarcely above his breath, as Hippolyte took up a position where he could see, through the glass doors leading into the inside hall, M. Gournay-Martin in his own room hurling various articles into his bag.

"We will take care of that," Charolais said. "Where are the keys to the Paris house?"

"In the drawer of that desk," Jean replied, pointing to Sonia's table.

"And the tiara?" Charolais exclaimed.

"The tiara is not here; it is in Paris," Jean said.

"I would swear it," said Charolais. "We have searched this house from cellar to attic this afternoon, and not a trace of it have we found. Go and look after the motors."

"Now for these keys," Charolais said, producing from an inner pocket a delicate jimmy of finely tempered steel. With this he pried at the desk.

They Take the Keys.

"Hard job?" Hippolyte asked.

"No, easy," he grunted as the door drawer flew open and he took out a bunch of keys with a little hiss of triumph.

"The substitutes," he called, and Hippolyte tossed over another bunch of keys which he placed in the drawer, closing it again and leaving no trace of the theft.

"Hist!" came a warning from Hippolyte.

"Scatter," his father said, darting over to the porch doors, and crouching behind one of them. Hippolyte squatted behind the hall door as it opened and Monsieur Gournay Martin, his bag in his hands, entered. The boy slipped behind him through the door and into the hall, drawing the door shut after him. Its click made the over-nervous old gentleman turn with an exclamation of alarm, and as he did so Charolais deftly slid from behind his door and out into the darkness of the porch, drawing the door shut after him. Monsieur Gournay Martin's nerves were plainly shattered, for he almost screamed aloud at this second click, and the entrance of Charmarac, his motor coat and cap in his hands, gave him a third start.

"Oh, I never shall get over this," he groaned. "Where, where are the others? Why don't they hurry? Where is Jean? Firmin! Go and tell Jean to hurry."

Firmin, growing fearful himself in the face of all this excitement, ran toward the garage. Germaine, Sonia and Marie, Germaine's maid, came in hurriedly with their half-packed bags in their hands, all in a state of terror save the imperturbable little Marie.

"My gracious, what a fuss!" she exclaimed scornfully.

Germaine struggled vainly with her bag. The Duke alone was smiling and serene as Firmin burst suddenly through the outer dors, followed by Jean, coatless, gasping and clutching his throat.

"Monsieur, the motors are stolen," the gatekeeper cried. "Jean was bound and gagged when I found him."

"Yes, Monsieur; all the motors are stolen except the 100-horse power racer. I was set upon in the dark, throttled and gagged. They made off with the cars in the darkness."

"Lost! Lost!" the old gentleman exclaimed.

Again Charmarac assumed command of the situation.

"There ought to be a train to Paris," he suggested. "What time is it?"

"A quarter to seven," Sonia said, looking at her watch.

"Ten minutes to seven," Germaine cried, looking at hers.

"Twenty-five minutes past seven," Monsieur Gournay Martin declared, consulting his antique timepiece.

The Duke Jokes.

"Well, we'll say about 7 o'clock," the Duke laughed. "Now, where is a time table? Oh, here is one. Let me see," turning over the leaves. "Uh, there is a train that leaves for Paris at 8:30 and will get you there at 7:30 o'clock to-morrow morning."

"What good will that do?" Gournay Martin fumed. "This villain will have been there and gone by that time, and all of my precious things will have been stolen."

"But I will go by the 100-horse power car," the Duke said. "I shall reach Paris by 2 o'clock, barring accidents, and there may be yet time to thwart Monsieur Arsene Lupin."

Charmarac spoke the name somewhat scornfully and plainly looked upon the letter in the light of a vain boast or a practical joke. His future father-in-law grasped at the train suggestion as he had at the others.

"You have yet time to make the train," the Duke added, "and I will be off at once to Paris in the motor."

The old man turned to the coatless, breathless chauffeur, who stood waiting.

"Get the other motor out, quickly, Jean, and take us to the station. Girls, get ready. We are going by train."

"The back tires are bad, Monsieur, and it will take half an hour to fix them."

Then, as the old man began to rave at fate, the chauffeur added:

"But there is still the station wagon, Monsieur, and Firmin's nephew can drive you to the station."

"Yes, yes, the station wagon," Gournay Martin cried. "Are you man enough, Jean, to get the wagon ready and the horses harnessed?"

"Yes, Monsieur," Jean cried, darting out to the stables.

The lightning flashes were growing more vivid; the rumble of the thunder nearer; a few scattered raindrops fell. Germaine protested against the sudden move until the Duke assured her that there was a diner and sleeper on the train. Sonia, silent as usual, but alert and watchful, kept her dark eyes of Charmerac.

To Be Continued in
Tomorrow's Sunday American.

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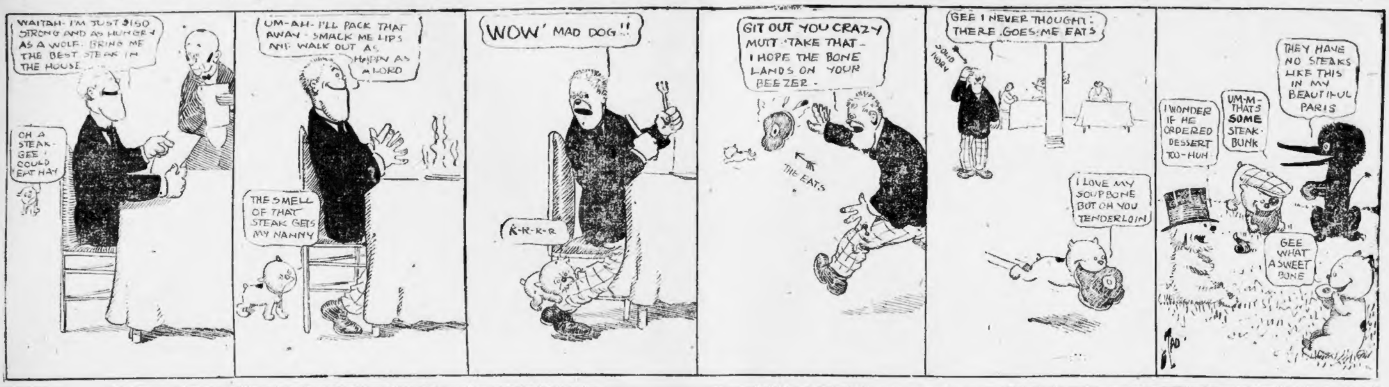
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UM-AH- I'LL PACK THAT AWAY- SMACK ME LIPS AN' WALK OUT AS HAPPY AS A LORD
THE SMELL OF THAT STEAK GETS MY NANNY
WOW' MAD DOG!!
K-R-K-R
GIT OUT YOU CRAZY MUTT- TAKE THAT- I HOPE THE BONE LANDS ON YOUR BEEZER-
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I LOVE MY SOUP BONE BUT OH YOU TENDERLOIN
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I WONDER IF HE ORDERED DESSERT TOO-HUH
UM-M- THAT'S SOME STEAK- BUNK
GEE WHAT A SWEET BONE
TAD

FINALS IN 1915 GAMES HELD TODAY

One of the biggest athletic meets ever seen in Boston is slated at Wood Island Park, East Boston, this afternoon when the finals in the 1915 meets are held. There are more than 700 entries for the different events.

Those who will compete are the boys from different sections of the city who qualified in the preliminaries that have been held on Saturdays during the Summer months.

Preparations have been made to handle an immense crowd of interested spectators and the Revere Beach and Lynn road will run special trains to the track side.

The opening call for the first event will come at 1:45 o'clock.

The games are divided into three divisions, senior, junior and midget. Three prizes will be awarded in every event except the relay races. Four places will be selected on account of the possibility of some boy being over age.

The order of the rest of the programme is as follows:

Senior relay preliminaries, 220-yard junior preliminaries, finals, 50, midget; finals, 50, junior; finals, 100, senior; 880-yard run, 220 preliminary senior, junior relay preliminary, senior relay finals, mile run, junior relay finals, 440 yards, 220-yard finals, senior; 220-yard finals, junior; running broad jump, senior; running broad jump, junior; standing broad jump.

Two of the most spectacular events will be the junior and senior relay races. There will be in all 20 relay teams, two representing each playground used in the preliminary meets. Five teams will run in heats and two will qualify. In the final heat there will be four racing teams. The picked runners from each district have been chosen for these relay teams to compete for the honors of their playground. Another of the spectacular contests will be the mile run. There are 62 boys entered and all will run in the same heat. Forty-three boys are entered in the 880-yard run and all these will start in the same heat.

WILL BUY BUFFALO CLUB.

Secretary Thomas Martin of the Newark club has formed a syndicate to purchase the Buffalo club. The practical resentment of the patrons over the poor showing of the Bisons in the last three seasons has caused the present owners to place the club on the market.

STRAIGHT DOPE FOR SPORT FANS

NOW THAT WE'VE ALL HAD A DAY of rest let's get out and pull hard for the Red Sox this afternoon. They are back from a hard trip and instead of knocking because they lost a few games and are a little farther away from first place than they were, get out and give them a boost. They are not going to win the pennant, as I dope it out, but they are a credit to Boston and will end the season a whole lot better than any of you figured they would.

JACK JOHNSON TAKES HIS FIRST real chance of losing that title next week when he mixes up with Al Kaufman, and take it from me that he is taking a chance. On dope Kaufman doesn't figure very strong, but he's a big husky boy and may put over the sleep producing wallop that will make it unnecessary for Jeff to do any more stalling. Let us hope that Kaufman does it and then you can quit all this yapping about bringing back the title to the white race.

ABOUT THIS WHITE RACE TITLE business, let me tell you something. I have been jacked up with great frequency every time I have said Jack Johnson was the champion heavyweight or that Sam Langford would defeat Stanley Ketchel. These jack ups come from a bunch of short sports who can't see anything only the way they want to see it. Here is the way I dope it out and you can bet that it is right. The color line in the prize ring is not visible to the naked eye. Prize fighters don't travel much in the ultra circles and for my money black and white fighters travel together. They all look alike to me.

KETCHEL HAS FINALLY REACHED New York and all doubt about his soiree with Ho Ho Sam Langford appears to have been removed. He says he'll lick Sam, but you'll lay up more money if you bet the other way. If ever a fighter was built for Sam, Ketchel is the man and it will surprise me a whole lot if the bout goes the full ten rounds. This, too, in spite of the fact that the match is at catch weights and Stanley will go into the ring about fifteen or twenty pounds heavier than Sam. I'm so strong for Langford that I'll be broke if he doesn't win. By the way, it won't be the first time.

Straight Dope, BOSTON AMERICAN:
In a game of ball "A" is pitching; "B" is batting. "A" delivers a close ball, and without any attempt upon "B's" part the ball strikes the handle of "B's" bat. The ball rolls foul. "A" wagers that it is a strike; "B" wagers that it does not count. To decide a bet, will you kindly state through your sporting column who wins?
Thanking you in advance, I am, Yours
G. A. R.

It counts as a strike. You can see this play frequently at any major league game.

Straight Dope, Boston American:
Sir—A and B have disagreed as to the success of three men refereeing the Armory bouts. A says that the scheme works "O. K." but B says that it is wrong, and will never succeed.
Will you take a chance and decide which one of us is held up for the shore dinner?
Respectfully,
ARTHUR HALL,
Sept. 3, '09. Malden, Mass.

I can only give you my opinion, and I don't know that it is any better than your own. I believe that the scheme of two judges and a referee is all right.

Straight Dope, Boston American:
The Bowery A. C. 135-lb. football team of Canton, undefeated for 3 years in Southeastern Massachusetts, will open its season Saturday, September 18, at Canton. Any managers desiring games will correspond with
ELMER WEST,
Assistant Manager, Highland avenue, Canton.

Straight Dope, Boston American:
Could you inform me what nationality is Henri Farman, the aviator who broke all world's records for endurance in France recently. He gave exhibitions in New York some time ago.
AL. SALEM.

I'm not very well up on aviation, although I go up in the air once in a while. The best dope I can get on Henri is that he is a Frenchman.

Straight Dope, Boston American:
I wish you will state in your Straight Dope column that Andy Morrisey, pitcher for the Holy Name team of South Boston, would like to hear from some fast semi-professional team desirous of securing the services of a good slab artist. In my last five games I have fanned seventy-five batters and allowed but twenty hits. Hoping this will appear in your valuable column Friday, I am,
ANDY MORRISEY,
725 3rd street, South Boston.

Straight Dope, Boston American:
Will you please put in the earliest edition the following ad. Any semi-professional team desiring a good catcher for Saturday and Labor Day can secure one by addressing
L. NEBELL,
2 Waterford st., suite 2, Boston, Mass., or phone Main 2365-1.

Straight Dope, Boston American:
Please settle bet. A is outfielder for Champs, B is pitcher for Has Beens. A says to B, I'll bet you we get ten hits off you Saturday. B bets 2 to 1 they don't. B goes in and pitches 8 1-3 innings, Champs getting 9 hits and B is relieved from box; his brother takes his place. Who wins?
JOHN MASON, stakeholder.
North Grafton, Mass., August 29, '09.

I think you had better call this a draw.

COLORED TEAM CLAIMS CHAMP

The Providence Giants, which claim the championship among colored teams in New England, have been playing a rather strong game this season, and propose to battle the Olympian Giants of Boston for the colored championship of New England on Labor Day at the Boston National League grounds.

The Providence Giants have had a very successful season under the management of Daniel Whitehead, who brought the Pittsburg Pirates and the Providence Eastern League champions together several years ago when other promoters failed. When it comes to coaching they are better than a minstrel show when it is their turn at bat. Besides, they know how to swat the sphere and to play baseball according to the most approved methods.

WILL SETTLE ROXBURY TITLE

There will be plenty of excitement this afternoon when the Roxbury Athletics and the Roxbury Base Ball Club meet in the second game of the series for the championship of Roxbury. The first game was annexed by the Athletics, the score being 2 to 1. The game was considered one of the best of the season. This afternoon's contest will mean a lot to the Roxburys for if they lose it will mean the championship also. The Athletics will select Dickenshire for their pitcher, with McCarthy on the receiving end, while Thayer and Curley will be the battery for the Roxburys. The game will be called at 3:30 at the National league grounds.

LEWIS BESTED BY MANSFIELD

WILLIAMSPORT, Penn., Sept. 4.—Harry Mansfield, champion welter-weight of England, went ten rounds with Harry Lewis of Philadelphia at the Williamsport Athletic club.

Although picked to win, Lewis failed, and clever work left Mansfield the favorite with the large crowd.

WILLETS LOSES TO YOUNG NITCHIE

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 4.—Young Nitchie had the best of Johnny Willets in one of the fastest bouts ever seen at the Nonpariel A. C.

Nitchie tried to finish Willets in the last round, but the latter by clinching stayed the limit. The victor's eye was cut open and Willet's face badly battered.

ARMORY A. A. WILL HONOR HUGH McLEAN

At a meeting of the directors of the Armory Club yesterday resolutions of sympathy were passed upon the sudden death of Brother Hugh McLean, and the secretary was ordered to transcribe the resolutions upon the records of the organization. It was voted that as many as possible of the club members attend the church service.

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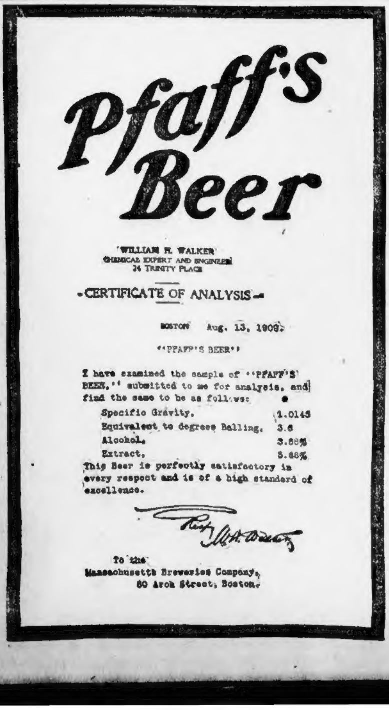
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Special Announcements.

TALK OF THE TOWN.
BIG POTTERY SALE.
FANCY pottery, everything made from pottery almost given away at the auction sale, 557 Mass. av., Camb. We are the same people that conducted the big sales 2 and 3 years ago. We will have a big auction sale Labor Day evening commencing at 7:30 sharp; come, get your supply while it lasts. **I. Harris, Prop., 557 Mass. av., Camb.**

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Information Wanted.

INFORMATION as to whereabouts of Arthur Hartley, born in Bradford, Yorkshire, England; last seen in Boston in 1892, at age of 16 years. Notify MRS. WILFRID HARTLEY, 13 Jackson st., Haverhill, Mass.

Sunday Services.

OLD SOUTH MEETING HOUSE, Washington st. The fifth and last in the special series of Summer services held under the auspices of the American Unitarian Association and the Benevolent Fraternity of Churches will be held next Sunday afternoon, Sept. 5, at 4 o'clock. The meeting will be conducted by Rev. Charles W. Casson of Boston. The speaker will be Dr. Samuel A. Eliot, president of the American Unitarian Association. All seats will be free to the public. The doors will open at 3:30. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

BOSTON Liberal Forum, Dwight Hall, 514 Tremont st., Boston. This Sunday, at 7:30 P. M. sharp. Subject: "What Is Christianity?" Opening speaker, I. McNULTY. Everybody welcome. Discussion invited.

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SOCIAL SCIENCE Platform, 168 Massachusetts av., room 12, at 7:45. Divorce laws, opened by WHITE. Free discussion.

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A PRACTISING professional accountant; qualified; public corporation systematizer, auditor; will audit daily, weekly, monthly, yearly; highest credentials; go anywhere; auditing, systematizing, corporation organizer; audits systems installed. R 194, Boston American.

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William C. Hawes,
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Boston, Mass., Sept. 1, 1909.

CITY OF BOSTON—TO CONTRACTORS—The Superintendent of Streets of the City of Boston, Office 47 City Hall, invites proposals for sewerage work, in Avenue Louis Pasteur, between the Fenway and Longwood avenue, Roxbury, and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the Superintendent. Only proposals obtained at said office, filled out, signed by the bidder, and left at said office before 12 o'clock M. of Friday, September 10, 1909, with a certified check for $300, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will at said hour and place be publicly opened and read. The proposals must be made in duplicate, the duplicate without the check to be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. The undersigned reserves the right to give preference to the proposals of bidders agreeing to pay the trades unions' rates of wages, and the right to reject any or all proposals. The proposals should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked, "Proposal for Sewerage Work in Avenue Louis Pasteur." GUY C. EMERSON, Superintendent of Streets, Boston. September 3, 1909.

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"A Colossal Engine of Finance"

Mr. Gladstone described the income tax as "a colossal engine of finance," because it is the tax, above all others, that can be depended on to fill the treasury of an expanding state.

Under the kind of tariff to which we have so long bent our backs the people pay over two billion dollars a year to the favorites of political fortune in order to put three hundred millions into the national treasury.

THE WASTE IS ABOUT SIX TO ONE.

The profligacy of the system is due to the fact that the schedules are framed without any consistent regard either to the sound principles of protection or to the fiscal demands of government.

The abortive thing that has come forth from the long parturition of Congress is neither fish, flesh, fowl nor good red herring.

If we would be delivered from this wasting fever of finance and restored to the cool pulse of a genuine protection, we must have recourse to a kind of taxation that cinches its saddle not upon misery and want, but upon that blithe and mettlesome prosperity that can stand the weight—and not go lame.

The income tax seems to be the engine of public finance that best comports with the great engineries of modern business.

We have asked in vain for "a downward revision"—that can be noticed when we pay our bills.

The way to get it was pointed out by Sir Robert Peel, Prime Minister of England, some sixty years ago.

It was in 1842 that Peel made a beginning of the modern English income tax—for the express purpose of scaling down the tariff of his day.

He reduced or abolished the duties on 750 articles of commerce and made up the revenues by putting his tax on incomes.

This English income tax now yields a revenue of $150,000,000 a year.

The Bailey-Cummins bill planned a tax of two per cent. on incomes over $5,000—a tax that would yield a revenue of a quarter of a billion—according to so conservative and so adversely interested a witness as Senator Root.

A graduated tax on all incomes above the level of the living wage—beginning, say, with a fraction of one per cent. on incomes of $2,000, and running to five per cent. or more on the gigantic incomes of multimillionaires—could be made to yield a revenue that would supersede all other taxes!

But, of course, the "colossal engine" should not be pressed to the speed limit.

What is wanted of the income tax in America is a means of supplementing the tariff and excise revenues—without raising the cost of the necessaries of life.

What is wanted is the restoration of the nation to the sanity of a temperate protection.

We urge upon the country the fact that the income tax is a powerful instrument put into the hands of political science for the melioration of great fiscal wrongs.

The Hudson-Fulton Celebration

It Is a Good Idea, to Be Encouraged by Everybody

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One of our readers thinks that the coming Hudson-Fulton celebration in New York may be a useless spending of money. He wants to know if the money couldn't be spent more wisely. Perhaps, and probably it could. Very likely, every dollar that ever was spent could have been spent more wisely. But this celebration spending is wise; it will do good; it MIGHT do a vast amount of good worth thousands of times the money.

This display will call attention to the achievements of two great men. It may start up in the mind of some young man ambitious thought, followed by reality; it may bring out an explorer as great as Hudson—exploring the realms of thought or of the outer universe, instead of this little earth. That would be a great thing, worth endless millions.

If it should, as it probably will, stimulate inventive faculty by making the young men think of Fulton, if it should reconcile the hard workers to discouragement and slow progress in their work, as they study Fulton, that would be useful also.

Another reader writes in regard to the brilliant illumination of New York City, planned for the celebration. He is a business man, and has planned to do extra lighting, but has misgivings. He says, "The city will be very brilliant then. Will the citizens be willing to go back to the present conditions after they have noted the improvement? In other words, are we doing right to create a condition which will or may make us discontented after the special occasion has passed? What is your idea?"

Our idea is that it is a good idea to have the city well lighted, even for one night. What the people see done spasmodically sinks into their minds, and eventually it becomes a regular thing.

It seemed foolish and expensive, probably, when the baths of Caracalla were built in Rome. It made a good many people discontented. But you can get now a flat for thirty dollars a month with a bath much more comfortable than any bath that any Roman ever saw.

The special pleasure craft of Cleopatra and Anthony was irritating; the special boats of kings and queens made those that didn't have boats discontented.

But to-day a steerage passenger in a big ship like the Lusitania is more comfortable than any king ever was in the finest of old boats.

The great thing is to show people what they can do, even for a moment. Once seen, they don't forget it, and eventually they do it for themselves.

We shall even have a real republic here some day, simply because once in a great while an accidental vote, unexpected, unusual, shows that the people could, if they choose, rule the country instead of having corrupt bosses rule it.

Free Trade.

G. H. B.—Putting aside all attempts at a technical definition, it may be said that Free Trade is that form of commercial dealing which affords the inhabitants of every region of the earth the advantages of all the other regions of the earth, and whose aim and business it is to work out the law that what serves the general profit of mankind serves also the private profit of the individual man.

Youthful Definitions

Once upon a time a child who was asked upon an examination paper to define a mountain range, replied: "'A large sized cook stove.'" The same method of reasoning seems to go with older growth. A recent examination paper at the Sheffield Scientific School at Yale contained the question: "What is the office of the gastric juice?" And the answer on one paper said: "The stomach."

Never Again!

By T. E. Powers

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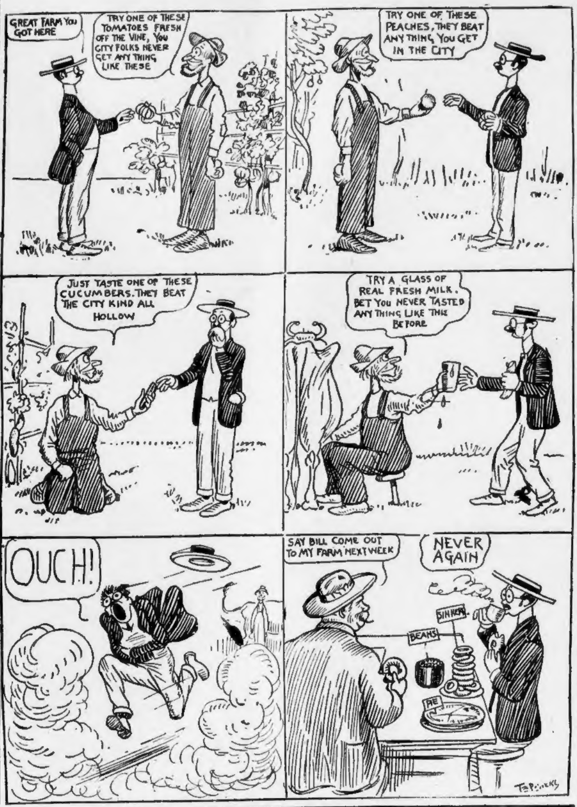
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TRY ONE OF THESE TOMATOES FRESH OFF THE VINE, YOU CITY FOLKS NEVER GET ANY THING LIKE THESE
TRY ONE OF THESE PEACHES, THEY BEAT ANY THING YOU GET IN THE CITY
JUST TASTE ONE OF THESE CUCUMBERS. THEY BEAT THE CITY KIND ALL HOLLOW
TRY A GLASS OF REAL FRESH MILK. BET YOU NEVER TASTED ANY THING LIKE THIS BEFORE
OUCH!
SAY BILL COME OUT TO MY FARM NEXT WEEK
NEVER AGAIN
SINKERS
BEANS
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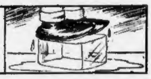
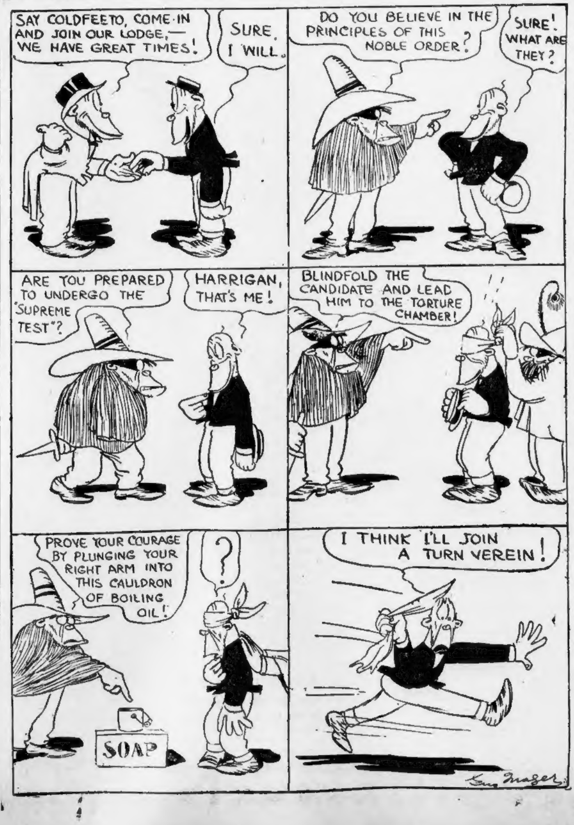
T.E. POWERS

COLDFEETO THE MONK

BY GUS MAGER




SAY COLDFEETO, COME IN AND JOIN OUR LODGE,— WE HAVE GREAT TIMES!
SURE. I WILL.
DO YOU BELIEVE IN THE PRINCIPLES OF THIS NOBLE ORDER?
SURE! WHAT ARE THEY?
ARE YOU PREPARED TO UNDERGO THE "SUPREME TEST"?
HARRIGAN, THAT'S ME!
BLINDFOLD THE CANDIDATE AND LEAD HIM TO THE TORTURE CHAMBER!
PROVE YOUR COURAGE BY PLUNGING YOUR RIGHT ARM INTO THIS CAULDRON OF BOILING OIL!
?
SOAP
I THINK I'LL JOIN A TURN VEREIN!
Gus Mager

ELBERT HUBBARD'S ARTICLE
—ON—
The Fine Art of Philanthropy

Especially Written for the American

By ELBERT HUBBARD

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GEORGE PEABODY was an American merchant and banker. He was born in the village of Danvers, Mass., in 1795. He died in London in 1869.

In childhood poverty was his portion.

Peabody had the persistent corpuscle, and he had charm of manner—two things which will make any man a winner.

He gave away during his lifetime eight million dollars. When he died he had four million dollars left, which was distributed largely, by his will, for the betterment of society.

The fact that Peabody left much money was accidental. He intended to give this money away, under his own personal supervision, but death came unexpectedly, which is a way death often has.

Has the world made headway during the past forty years?

Listen. We have made more progress during the past forty years than in the two thousand years preceding.

The entire fortune of George Peabody, including what he gave away during his life and what he left, was twelve million dollars.

This is just the income of Andrew Carnegie for six months.

We scarcely realize how civilization smells of paint, until we remember that George Peabody was the world's first philanthropist.

No doubt there were many people with philanthropic impulses before him, but they were poor. It's easy to sympathize with humanity when you have nothing to give but advice.

The miracle comes in when great wealth and great love of kind are combined in one individual.

Giving to the poor is lending to the devil. The plan has always been more or less of a pastime to the rich, but the giving has usually been limited to sixpences, with absolute harm to the poor. All any one should ask for is opportunity.

Sailors just ashore, with gay painted galleys in tow, and with three months' pay, are the most charitable men on earth—we might also say they are the most loving and least lovable.

The beggars wax glad when Jack lumbers their way; but alas, to-morrow Jack belongs to the poor.

Charity in the past has been prompted by weakness and whim—the penance of rogues—and often we give to get rid of the troublesome applicant.

Beggary and virtue were imagined to have something akin.

Rags and honesty were sort of synonymous, and we spoke of honest hearts that beat 'neath ragged jackets. That was poetry, but was it art? Which was it, truth or religion? Or was it just a little harmless exercise of the lachrymose glands? Riches and roguery were spoken of in one breath, unless the gentleman were present, and then we curtsied, cringed or crawled, and laughed loudly at all of his jokes.

These things doubtless dated back to a time when the only mode of accumulating wealth was through oppression. Pirates were rich—honest men were poor. To be poor proved that you were not a robber. The heroes in war took cities, and all they could carry away was theirs.

The monasteries were passing rich in the Middle Ages, because their valves opened only one way—they received much and paid out nothing. To save the souls of men was a just equivalent for accepting their services for the little time they were on earth.

The monasteries owned the land, and the rentals paid by the fiefs and villeins went into the church treasuries. Sir Walter Scott had an abbot say this: "I took the vow of poverty, and find myself with an income of twenty thousand pounds a year."

But wealth did not burden the monks forever. Wealth changes hands—that is one of its peculiarities.

Then came war, red of tooth and claw. And the soldiery, who heretofore had been used only to protect the religious orders, now, flushed with victory, turned against them.

Charges were trumped up against churchmen high in authority, and no doubt the charges were often true, because a robe and rope girdle, or the reversal of haberdashery, does not change the nature of a man. Down under the robe, sometimes, you'll find a man frail of soul—grasping, sensual; selfish.

The monasteries were looked upon as contraband of war. "To the victors belong the spoils" was the motto of a certain man who was President of the United States, so persistent was the war idea of acquiring wealth.

The property of the religious orders were confiscated, and as a reward for heroic services great soldiers were given big tracts of land. The big estates in Europe all have their origin in this well-established custom of dividing the spoils. The plan of taking the property of each or all who were guilty of sedition, treason and contumacy was well established by precedents that traced back to Cain.

When George Washington appropriated the estate of Roger Morris, forty centuries of precedent looked down upon him.

Also, it might be added that if a man owned a particularly valuable estate, it was easy for a soldier to listen to and believe the report that the owner had spoken ill of the King, and given succor to the enemy.

Then the soldier felt it his "duty" to punish the recreant one by taking his property.

The Diary of a Speculator

By WEX JONES

SEE that Harriman has come back a very sick man. This will make Union Pacific sink like a busted aeroplane. Will sell to-morrow.

Harriman says he feels fine and all that he needs is a rest, when he will be as strong as ever he was. Seems a good time to buy, as this news will boost all his stocks.

It seems the Little Wizard is going to live on bread and beer for a while. I can't quite decide what effect this news will have on the market. It is no snap, this game of intelligent speculation. It looks to me as if a man who sticks to bread and beer for even two days would hardly feel like an active campaign at anything, not even at pinochle. On the other hand, the diet would probably have a steadying effect, and news that the boss was sleeping in the afternoon would have a beneficial effect on the market, as no one would sleep all day if there appeared to be any trouble ahead.

More bothersome brain work for me. A later story says that Harriman will live almost exclusively on Welsh rarebits, cooked by himself in a chafing dish. At first glance I determined to buy, as a man who can eat a Welsh rarebit, especially one cooked in a chafing dish by himself, must of course be in robust health. But then the thought occurred to me—could any man—or an ostrich, for that matter—stand such a diet for even one day? Supposing the Little Wizard tried it, wouldn't it be his finish? Again I was unable to decide on the proper course.

Heard in strict confidence to-day that a box of very strong, black cigars had been shipped to Arden. Told every one I knew, and we all bought. Looks like the real thing this time.

Union Pacific down ten points. Friends are crazy about it, and are all roasting me for giving them bum tips, as if I hadn't lost enough myself. That's always the way. If you get a tip that comes off, and you haven't told your friends, they won't stop calling you down for a year. Then when you do give them the next tip you get, they kick because you let them know about it if it doesn't turn out all right.

It seems the cigars were for the station agent at Arden and not for Harriman at all.

Have bribed a servant to let me know what goes on. First report to-day said that a large mutton chop was taken up to the boss's room. Nothing but the bone came back. I guess that's good enough for me. This is a tip that I will keep to myself and those kickers will be sorry they roasted me over the last one. Bought U. P. heavily.

Same report again to-day. Bought more U. P. It remains steady. I'll kill things this time for sure.

U. P. going down! Can't understand it. Same report from servant to-day. Will stick it out as long as I can.

Servant sends over word that chops sent to the boss's room, he has discovered, were eaten by Harriman's pet dog and not by the railroad man, who is living entirely on peanuts and cider. What stupidity. Pretty near broke.

Statement issued to-day announces that the financier is very sick, but that otherwise he is perfectly well. I can't exactly foresee the effect of this official announcement upon the market.

Market remains unchanged. Dr. Frank Furter, the great specialist of Bad Eggheim, has arrived by the Princess Delicatessen to visit Harriman. This looks serious. Sold heavily to-day.

It comes out now that Dr. Furter is a veterinary surgeon, and not the great thumb specialist. He came over to inspect the railroad king's dachshund, on which Dr. Furter is an international authority. U. P. up in the skies. Very nearly busted now. It's hard to dope out these things with any accuracy. Buying again.

It now appears that the visitor was the real Dr. Furter, the famous surgeon, who devotes his life to injuries of the thumb. It appears from this that Harriman may have been driving a nail and hit himself on the hand. U. P. down to nothing.

Broke.

LETTERS FROM AMERICAN READERS

SMOKERS' SEATS AGAIN

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

I read "Hot house's" letter in the AMERICAN, in which she says I have no right to a seat in any car, just because I want to occupy a smoker's seat and smoke on the way home from my day's work. Let me tell the lady that I do not smoke all the time; neither do I spit in the cars. And I have never yet seen a man spit on the car floor when sitting in the rear side seats of the big semi-convertible cars. So I think "Hot House" will not very often have to soil her skirts when the cars are reversed for the return trip. She is evidently the kind of woman responsible for the reluctance many men display in yielding seats to women nowadays. Men do have some rights in smokers' seats, and women who occupy them when there are others vacant must expect just as much consideration from the other sex as they give, and no more.

WINTER HILL.

SIGHT-SEEING SOLICITORS

Editor Boston American:

In what respect does the business of running a sight-seeing automobile differ from selling hot corn, pop corn, patent medicines or life insurance? Why are the employes of a sight-seeing automobile company given the privilege of using the platform and steps in front of the Public Library to solicit business when people engaged in these other businesses would be excluded from so using them?

G. F. SMITH.